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LEGISLATURE MEETS; G.O.P. AND DRYS RULE

TAXATION, PROHIBITION, MAIN ISSUES FOR SOLONS

COLUMBUS, O., January 3.—The Ohio legislature, which is expected to wrestle chiefly with questions pertaining to taxation, reorganization of state offices and departments and prohibition, now is formally in session. Convening at 10 o'clock, members were sworn in by Chief Justice Marshall in the house and by Justice Hough in the senate.

Of the three principal subjects expected to be considered during the session, prohibition, which has occupied the stage in Ohio assemblies for many years, was the first to come to the front.

When the matter of selecting an assistant clerk of the senate came up, Senator Emmert, of Cincinnati, opened an attack on J. E. Cross, caucus candidate, based upon his alleged activities in certifying the last legislature's action in ratifying the federal prohibition amendment to the secretary of state at Washington. Senator Emmert read a copy of the report made by the committee which conducted an investigation of the affair at that time. Mr. Cross was elected, however, receiving 33 votes. The four Cincinnati members did not vote.

Only Hitch In Organization

This proved to be the only hitch in the organization as planned by the majority caucus a few weeks ago.

Senate and House Organize

Rupert R. Beetham, of Harrison county, was elected speaker of the house, and C. C. Crabbe, of Madison county, speaker pro tem. All other caucus selections were approved. In the senate Frank E. Whittemore, of Akron, was elected president pro tem.

Following organization, Governor Cox transmitted his message to both houses. He was formally notified of the convening of the assembly by a joint committee appointed for that purpose.

In assuming his duties as speaker, Mr. Beetham said that he "entered upon the task anxious, though optimistic and determined." He urged members to be diligent in their work and

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SENATE PASSES WAR FINANCE CORPORATION MEASURE OVER PRESIDENT WILSON'S VETO

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—The resolution to revive the war finance corporation was passed today by the senate over President Wilson's veto.

The resolution was vetoed only a few hours before by President Wilson.

Senator Underwood, Alabama, the Democratic leader, before the vote was taken, gave notice that he would vote to pass the resolution over the president's veto, saying he had not changed his mind as to the advisability of the measure becoming a law.

This vote was taken immediately after the president's veto message was read. Similar action by the house is expected by supporters of the resolution, which was designed as an aid to farmers and others in the present period of declining prices.

The vote to override the president was 53 to 5, or nineteen more than the required two-thirds majority.

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GOVERNOR COX IN PARTING MESSAGE TO LEGISLATURE OFFERS SUGGESTIONS TO SOLVE TAXATION, REORGANIZATION

COLUMBUS, O., January 3.—Governor James M. Cox sent his parting message to the new legislature at its opening session today, reviewing the history of his three terms as chief executive and offering suggestions for a solution of taxation and reorganization problems confronting the new administration.

The retiring governor warmly defended the indeterminate sentence law and the state board of clemency against which he said there had arisen a propaganda for a change because of the crime wave.

Because of the judicial reform brought about under the new constitution of 1912, the governor declared there was no longer need for common pleas judge in every county. Many of these judges, he said, were complaining of lack of work. He declared there should be no more municipal courts established until steps have been taken to establish uniformity in their procedure.

Favors Simplicity In Government

Governor Cox told the legislature he favored simplicity in state government and among the things he suggested in the way of re-organization, was doing away with the election of a state treasurer and making the attorney general an appointive office, named by the governor instead of elected.

Declaring the taxation question to be a "perplexing one," the governor said "personally, I am convinced that taxes within the state some day will be derived exclusively from lands, incomes, inheritance and franchises."

Since state finances are in good shape and the reverse is true in local subdivisions, the governor recommends that the state give up its share of the new inheritance tax revenue.

The governor expressed doubt as to ability to secure adoption of a classification tax amendment unless there is a constitutional guarantee that tangible property will not be taxed more than approximately ten mills. He warned against "setting aside the limitations of the Smith one percent law for a given period and at the same time establishing a debt limitation," declaring that this was apt to create "a conflicting situation."

"If this is the only action to be taken," the governor added, "it is simply delaying the evil hour."

He declared that certain interests are alert when laws involving them are passed, and added the observation that "this is most pertinent with reference to taxation."

Want Workman's Law Applied To All

Governor Cox, in his message, recommended making the workmen's law apply to all employers excepting only domestics employed in private homes. At the present time it applies only to those employing five or more persons. He also suggested a substantial increase in

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"Secondary Boycotts" Is Illegal

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—Federal court decrees holding that the Clayton act in effect legalized "secondary boycotts" by organized labor, were set aside today by the supreme court.

Ship Brings Five Million In Gold

NEW YORK, January 3.—The steamship Lapland, which arrived here today from Antwerp, Southampton and Cherbourg, brought $5,000,000 in gold, consigned to Kuhn, Loeb and Company, New York bankers.

J. N. Morris, United States minister to Sweden, was a passenger, returning for a short business trip.

To Resume With Lower Wages

PITSBURGH, PA., January 3.—The Superior Steel Corporation, an independent concern, employing some 1,200 men, most of them skilled, today announced that it would resume operations in some departments on Wednesday on a wage scale about 15 percent lower than that paid when the works shut down.

Called Whole Town Out To Rescue Him

NEW YORK, January 3.—Two fire boats, three engine companies, a water tower, a water tender, a fire patrol, two battalion chiefs and a deputy fire chief were called out when Samuel Arweeny, of Brooklyn, fell into the East River last night.

Arweeny had trailed his dripping way homeward, before the rescuers arrived. The excited man who sent in the general alarm, also had disappeared.

DRY SLEUTH IS HELD FOR THE EASTMAN MURDER

NEW YORK, January 3.—Jeremiah Bohan, of Brooklyn, an internal revenue agent, was placed under arrest at police headquarters today charged with the killing of "Monk" Eastman, gangster-soldier, after police said he had confessed to the shooting.

NEW YORK, January 3.—Jeremiah Bohan, a prohibition enforcement agent, said by the police to be the mysterious "Mr. X" sought in connection with the killing of "Monk" Eastman, gangster, and world war hero, today surrendered.

From the Brooklyn police station, at which he presented himself, Bohan was taken to headquarters in Manhattan. He left under guard, although no charge had been made against him.

Leo. A. Fohl To Manage St. Louis Browns

ST LOUIS, MO., January 3.—Leo A. Fohl, of Cleveland, will be the 1921 manager of the St. Louis Americans. This announcement was made today by Bob Quinn, business manager of the Browns.

Would Prevent Doctoring Of Sick Man's Liquor

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—A bill designed to prevent the doctoring or adulteration of the sick man's liquor was introduced today by Representative Vare, Republican, of Pennsylvania. Specifically, it would stop the manufacture and sale for medicinal purposes of whiskey containing less than 45 percent of alcohol.

In a letter to Chairman Volstead, of the house judiciary committee, Mr. Vare declared that there had been wholesale violations of the medicinal provisions of the enforcement act and that great harm had resulted to patients for whom liquor had been prescribed.

Robbers Take Dog With Them

YOUNGSTOWN, O., January 3.—When R. Snyder's bull dog chased a pair of robbers last night after shots had been exchanged in Snyder's home, the burglars stopped, picked up the dog, and carried him away, Snyder reported to the police this morning.

New Director Of Mine Bureau

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—H. Foster Bain, of California, was nominated today by President Wilson to be director of the bureau of mines. He succeeds Frederick G. Cottrell, who resigned last week.

WHEN IN DOUBT —ASK HASKIN

During the new year The Daily Times invites its readers to use the valuable free information service provided by Frederic J. Haskin, from Washington, D. C.

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FIRE IS RAGING IN WEST VIRGINIA STATE CAPITOL

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 3—Fire broke out in the state capitol here this afternoon. Firemen said the blaze was dangerous as the building is of brick construction and by no means fireproof

The fire broke out on the Lee street side of the building and within half an hour two floors of that wing were a mass of flames. All the fire companies in the city were called to the capitol, which stands in a park directly across the street from the executive mansion. At 3:30 o'clock the fire was spreading rapidly and it seemed as though the old building was doomed.

10,000 Homeless From Quake

PARIS, January 3.—Fourteen people were killed, and 300 injured and 10,000 made homeless by an earthquake, which almost destroyed the city of Elbassan, Albania.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian soviet, representative in this country, whose deportation has been ordered, was formally surrendered here today to Secretary Wilson at the department of labor, by his counsel, Former Senator Hardwick, of Georgia.

Martens had been in the custody of his attorney since his arrest several months ago.

Legislatures In Forty-Five States Face Busy Programs On Tax Reform, Dry Enforcement

NEW YORK, January 3.—Legislatures of 45 states and territories, most of which open their sessions today or later this month, have before them formidable programs of tax reform, dry law enforcement, election redistricting in accordance with the 1920 census, soldier bonuses, public improvements, revision of constitutions, laws for husband-and-wife, industrial, and suffrage legislation, state aid for farmers, boxing commissions, new financing, retrenchment by consolidation or abolition of state departments, anti-radicalism, automobile regulation, reorganization of state militias, relief for public utilities, amendment or repeal of primary laws, commission or "manager" plans for cities and counties and pro and anti-blue law enactments.

Ambitious Irrigation Project

California, with its ambitious $750,000,000 state-wide irrigation project, leads the states in the matter of proposed public improvements and will ask the legislators to authorize a survey of the contemplated enterprise. Colorado also has a big mountain tunnel in contemplation. West Virginia solons will be required to pass laws at the session opening January 15, providing for the expenditure of $50,000,000 for building good roads, for which the people voted a bond issue at the recent election. Missouri also must provide $60,000,000 road building legislation.

Establishment of a state constabulary, urged largely by farmers, and enactment of a bill legalizing boxing, in addition to a proposal to repeal her state primary law, held unconstitutional by the state supreme court, will be taken up by the legislature of Illinois some time after that body meets for its opening session next Wednesday. Fights against primary laws are to be made also in Indiana, Missouri, Nebraska, New York, New Mexico, North Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont and Wyoming.

Plan Attack On Blue Laws

Vermont "liberals" plan an attack on the blue laws of the state insofar as they relate to observance of the Sabbath. An effort will be made, it is said, to modify the present statutes so as to permit amateur sports, particularly baseball on Sunday, where the sport is not commercialized. Local option such as exists in Massachusetts, enabling individual cities and towns to determine their own practice in the

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'Bandit's Court' New Tribunal

PHILADELPHIA, PA, January 3.—A new tribunal, to be known as the "bandits' court," was opened today at city hall. Only hold-up and robbery cases, of which there have been an unusually large number the last few months, will be heard.

The court was instituted at the suggestion of District Attorney Rotan, who said that it was necessary to give quick trial to bandits and that speedy justice would act as a deterrent to crime. Magistrates have been instructed to make immediate returns of hold-ups and robberies and the district attorney has announced that he would urge severe sentences. One of the common pleas judges will preside.

Ends 22 Year Public Career

NEW YORK, January 3.—Alfred E. Smith, retiring governor of New York, ended a 22 year career in public life today when he shed his hat and coat in the offices of the United States Trucking Corporation and went to work as chairman of its board of directors.

The ex-governor announced he would never be a candidate for public office again.

Reduce Theatre Prices

NEW YORK, January 3.—Reduction of the price of theater stals in various cities has been followed in New York by the productions of Sam Harris, president of the Producing Managers' Association. Beginning tonight the top price will be $.50 instead of $3.00.

In making the announcement, Mr. Harris expressed the hope that other managers would take similar action.

REPUBLICANS FIGHT $10,000,000 PROVISION FOR WILSON DAM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3—Renewal of the fight to restore to the sundry civil bill a $10,000,000 appropriation for completion of the Wilson dam across the Tennessee river, part of the government's muscle shoals nitrate plant project was looked for today when general debate on the measure was resumed in the house. When the house adjourned Friday party lines were sharply drawn on the issue with the Republican opposition expressing determination not to yield.

Conclusion of debate on this question was expected to clear the way for consideration of the sundry civil budget item by item.

Theft From Mails Revealed

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3—Thefts from the mails last spring of $31,632 in currency and liberty bonds addressed to federal reserve bank, Cleveland, have been revealed by post office inspectors.

Days Rest For Crews-Planes

SAN DIEGO, CAL., January 3.—A day of rest for the crews and minor repairs for the planes was ahead of the F-5-L section of the navy's San Diego-Panama aerial expedition at Danderas Bay today. However, it was thought likely the NC sections, planes five and six, which were at Magdalena Bay on the coast of Lower California yesterday, might attempt today to fly on to Danderas Bay, where the twelve fighter craft arrived last Saturday. The F-5-L craft have covered about a third of the southward flight with a perfect record. The "hop" made by the NC-5 from San Diego to Magdalena Bay, 702 miles, without a stop, leads naval officers here to feel confident, however, that the NC planes will overtake the F-5-L section and finish the flight on time.

The New Year's Day flight of the F-5-L's covered the southern stretch of the Gulf of California.

The next stage will be south along the Mexican coast to Acapulco, a distance of 439 miles.

The U. S. S. Arostook, tender to their squadron, left Magdalena Bay a minute after the F-5-L planes had taken off and is due at Danderas some time today.

Charge Official's Blow Killed Him

NEW YORK, January 3.—Formal investigation of the death of Carl Bosselman, importer, of Washington, was ordered by police officials today following reports to the young man's father that he had been killed by a blow struck by a policeman.

Bosselman was found unconscious on a sidewalk early yesterday morning and died in a hospital. His companion told his father, the latter said, that Bosselman was behaving in a boisterous manner following a New Year's party and was struck by a policeman he encountered while on his way to a hotel.

The policeman questioned last night by detectives, denied having struck Bosselman.

SCHOOL OF RETAILING TO BE OPENED IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, January 3.—A school of retailing, said to be the first institution of its kind in the world, will be opened at New York University next September, it was announced today. It will be known as the New York University Training School for Teachers of Retail Selling.

Prominent department stores are to operating with the university in the establishment of the school. It is planned to raise $1,000,000 for the purpose.

Toledoan Wins Checker Championship

SPRINGFIELD, O, Jan. 3—A. Long 18, Toledo, won the state checker championship from I. Goldsmith, Columbus, in Ohio checker tournament.

THREE MISSING BALLOONISTS SAFE IN THE FROZEN NORTH

ROCKAWAY, N. Y., January 3.—Three missing naval balloonists of the A-5598, who had been the objects of a frantic search through northern New York and Canada since they dropped from sight here three weeks ago, today, are enroute home from the snowy wilds of Ontario, via dog sleds.

The trio landed near Moose Factory, Ontario, a remote trading post of the Hudson Bay Company, on December 14, the day after they started from Rockaway. After four days in the woods, they found safety at the post. Word of their rescue reached here in a message from the fliers, sent by messenger to the nearest telegraph office at Mattice, and relayed thence upon the arrival of the messenger last night.

The message read: "Driven by storm Monday, 12-13, west by north, at lower Hudson Bay. Forced to land two p. m., 12-14, about ten miles north by east of Moose Factory, Ontario, latitude 51.50, longitude 81.00. Lost in forest four days. Crew safe at Hudson Bay Company post. Will leave on first available means of transportation to railroad, which is by dog sled, and will take about nine days. Leaving here Monday, December 27."

If the balloonists got away on the 27th and if they make as good time as they expected, they should get back into touch with civilization at a railroad station, probably Mattice, tomorrow or Wednesday. Aviation officers here, however, incline to the opinion that it will be several days before the balloonists, unaccustomed to dog sled travel, work their way out of the frozen north country.

Members of the A-5598 crew are Lieutenant Walter Hinton, of Belle Harbor, New York; Lieutenant Stephen A. Farrel, of New York, and Lieutenant Louis A. Kloor, Jr., of New Orleans.

Police Follow Black Hand Trail

YOUNGSTOWN, O., January 3.—Police are following what they think is a blackhand trail today in seeking the slayers of Carl DeAngelo, killed last night while on his way home from a visit to the home of Frank Anderson, who was killed by robbers Friday night.

DeAngelo was shot over the hip and his assailants then forced the revolver into his mouth and fired, the bullet penetrating the heart. Two years ago DeAngelo, while in the downtown business district, was shot twice in the head, but recovered.

Billy-Butt-In

THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN

Most fellows have about abandoned hope o' imposin' their Christmas cigar on friends and are tryin to smoke 'em themselves. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Moderate temperature.

KENTUCKY—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Moderate temperature.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 57; low, 27.

WOULD INCLUDE FRANCE AND ITALY IN THE DISARMAMENT MOVEMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—Senator Borah's resolution looking to a reduction in future naval building by the United States, Great Britain and Japan was considered by the senate foreign relations committee, but final action was deferred.

Senator Borah said after the committee session, which was secret, that considerable sentiment developed in the committee to include France and Italy in the disarmament negotiations, which the president would be asked to initiate.

FOUR HURT AS FIRE SWEEPS AKRON HOUSE

AKRON, O., January 3.—Four persons were injured, three of them seriously, when fire swept the house at 32 North 13th street, Kenmore, following an explosion last night. The injured are:

Earl Brennen, 19.
Lawrence Brennen, 16.
Earl Hendershott, 8, all of Kenmore.
Slyvan McGerry, Akron.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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Five Bandit Suspects Are Captured

CLEVELAND, O., January 3.—Five men, suspected of planning to rob a down town bank during the day, were arrested in a room on the East Side early this morning, only a few hours after five other bandits had held up the cashier of the Miles Theater, located in the heart of the down-town section, and escaped with $365 in cash, after overlooking $4,000.

Five revolvers, two shot guns and a high powered rifle were found in the room with the men, while a stolen automobile, which it was believed the quintette intended to use, was recovered near the place.

Efforts are being made to connect the five men with the gang who on Friday shot and killed Wilfred C. Sly, president, and George K. Fanner, superintendent of the W. W. Sly Manufacturing Company, who escaped after holding up and robbing the officials of a $4,200 pay roll.

Pennsylvania To Cut Force

COLUMBUS, O., January 3.—Division headquarters of the Pennsylvania railroad announced today that a reduction in personnel of fifteen percent will be accomplished this week on all branches in the Columbus division. Between 400 and 500 men in various departments will be released, it was said.

Cotton Mills Cut Wages

GREENSBORO, N. C., January 3.—Cotton mills of the Cone interests, employing 3,000 workers, announced today a wage reduction of 25 percent and a similar cut in prices of merchandise handled in its stores, which supply the employes. Lack of orders was given as the cause for the reduction.

LYRIC

TONIGHT
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THEY'RE OFF!

"Going Some" starts with the crack of a pistol and sprints along for six reels at the dizziest pace ever seen in a screen comedy!

You'll say that's going some!

Samuel Goldwyn and Rex Beach Present

REX BEACH'S famous story

"GOING SOME"

Directed by Harry Beaumont

JACKSON NEWS

JACKSON, Jan. 3—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newell of Columbus spent the week with the family of her mother Mrs. Cornelia Paine. Mr. Newell is now a teacher in the Avondale building in Columbus and is also taking work at the Ohio State University.

Lloyd Sears At Floodwood

Lloyd Sears came home to spend the week end with his mother Mrs. Martha Sears in Liberty township. He is a product of the country schools and is now getting $130 a month for teaching at Floodwood which is in Athens county.

Samuel Miller and his young son Robert of Sciotoville spent New Years with his mother Mrs. Hillborn C. Miller.

The Jackson teachers who attended the meeting of the Ohio Teachers Association at Columbus, were County Superintendent J. F. Dixon, Morris A. Henson of the Jackson schools, Miss Minnie Smith at the head of the Oak Hill schools, and Superintendent Samuel H. Maharry and Principal Henselman of the Wellston schools.

Eli Buckley of Ironton came to this county to visit his aged mother, Mrs. Cynthia Buckley, aged eighty-seven years, living at Wellston with her daughter, Mrs. Sadie Haney. Buckley was formerly on the police force in this city.

Mrs. Jones Dies At Plain City

Mrs. Margaret Jones, widow of William J. Jones, Cofadail, a former resident of Jackson, died Dec. 31 while visiting at the home of her son, Ben Jones at Plain City, and her remains were brought to Jackson where the funeral services were held Sunday afternoon. Four children survive, John and Ben Jones and two daughters both married. She was living with her younger daughter Anna at Columbus. The other daughter Mrs. Rowland is living in Indiana, where Mr. Rowland is employed in the coal business. Mrs. Jones was the daughter of Benjamin Evans who was killed in April 1853 while building the stack for Washington Furnace in Lawrence county. She was nine days old when her father was killed. Her remains were brought to the home of her sister, Mrs. Evan D. Morgan in this city. Her other sister, Mrs. Mary J. Davis of Oak Hill had preceded her.

Only Fifteen Indictments

The criminal docket of Jackson-co for the year 1920 shows only fifteen indictments returned in the whole year as against seventy-eight indictments for the year 1919. Of the fifteen, not one was for murder or manslaughter. There was one for assault and battery, one for rape on a female under sixteen years, two for selling on Sunday, against the same man, two for forgery, three for abandoning illegitimate children, and six for abandoning legitimate children. This is a remarkably favorable showing for a county with a population of 27,342.

The divorce record is not as favorable, however, for there were fifty-seven petitions filed. The number of bastardy suits was five.

One Automobile Fatality

Only one person was killed in an automobile accident during the year 1920, a young boy struck by a machine while crossing a street. This was the first fatality in the history of the county.

Crabtrees Go To Arizona

John W. Crabtree of Monroe accompanied by his son Willard Crabtree aged twenty-five and single, start on Jan. 4, for Phoenix, Arizona, where they go for the health of the son. He was a soldier in Battery F, of this county and has not been well. The father will probably remain in the Southwest with his son until spring.

Mrs. Foss Stewart has so far recovered from her long illness that her husband has been able to return to his duties at Deputy Auditor.

John E. Jones has returned from Philadelphia for a short visit and went to see his brother, Hon. Edwin Jones at Columbus. He will return at an early date to be with his wife and young son David in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Albert Schlegel and her daughter, Elizabeth, have returned to their home at Chillicothe after a visit with her mother Mrs. Tabitha Washam and the family of her sister Mrs. Elmer Ridgeway.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jones, California, of Columbus spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Elizabeth Jones who has been confined to her bed by illness for some time but is now better.

Alfred Evans who had been visiting his father T. J. Evans and other relatives in this city has gone to Chicago to join the Dennison Glee Club of which he is one of the twenty-three members. They will give a number of concerts in that city and its suburbs.

Attorney Louis Pickrel who is an attorney located at Youngstown has returned to his practice after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pickrel.

Crumit Featured in Munsey's

Jackson people were pleased this week to find Frank Crumit son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crumit, deceased, of this city featured in an article by Matthew White, Jr., in Munsey's for January. Crumit is appearing this season as one of the principals in the Greenwich Follies of 1920, at a salary that would make some of his school mates gasp. Crumit began with college concert work, got into musical comedy via vaudeville and his future seems assured. He is a nephew of James C. Poore the Jackson grocer and has one brother Charles F. Crumit, located at Washington and sister living at Columbus wife of George Trautman Athletic Instructor at Ohio State.

A Horeb Churchyard Story

"Buried Madness" a story in the January number of the Cosmopolitan is located at Sinai, which may be only another name for Horeb church in Jefferson township in this county. Davy Davis, Lloyd Hughes and Dan Jones are names familiar enough in this county.

The Mines Are Safer

[illegible] Walter R. Evans reports that only three miners were killed in Jackson county in the year 1920, a [illegible] reduction from the number in former years. It is true that the number of miners has decreased [illegible] the mines are older and under [illegible] conditions, risks would have been greater, but legislation and Safety First propaganda are largely responsible for the reduction. Only [illegible] inquests were held in the [illegible] altogether.

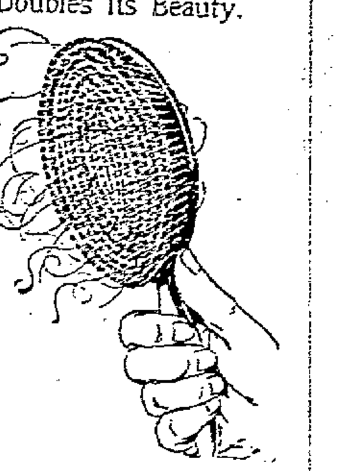
Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] K. [illegible] and their son [illegible] of Portsmouth [illegible] Jackson [illegible] the week end [illegible] Mrs. Hackett aged mother of Mrs. [illegible] and other relatives.

[illegible] Chestnut traveling [illegible] of [illegible] spent the week with the family of his [illegible] James Chestnut.

Troy Scurlock employed at Cincinnati returned to his duties today after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] M. Scurlock.

"DANDERINE"

Stops Hair Coming Out; Doubles Its Beauty.



A few cents buys "Danderine." After an application of "Danderine" you can not find a fallen hair or any dandruff, besides every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and thickness.—Adv.

Tariff Bill Is Taken Up

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the senate finance committee, back in the senate after an absence of more than a year, occasioned by illness, the committee prepared to begin consideration today of the emergency tariff bill recently passed by the house. While other members of the committee have not revealed their attitude on the measure, Senator Penrose in a statement made after his arrival here, several days ago from Atlantic City, indicated he did not look favorably on the selection of a few commodities for application of high tariff rates in advance of general tariff revision. He expressed the opinion that the entire tariff question should be given deliberate consideration as a whole.

NEW BOSTON

M. E. Church Notes

Evangelistic services each evening this week, at seven o'clock. Childrens meetings will be held each evening after school.

Tuesday evening at 7 p. m. Dr. J. B. Hawk, District Superintendent, will speak, and conduct Quarterly Conference. A half hours song service precedes the sermons each evening, with Mrs. J. S. Prose, of Wolsey, S. Dak., as leader. Everyone is welcome to attend these services.

Clyde Rickey is ill at his home on Cedar street, being threatened with pneumonia.

Section Three of the Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Randolph Smith, of Grace street.

Wayne, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duncin, of Harrisonville avenue is recovering nicely from an operation which he underwent several days ago for the removal of tonsils and adenoids.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Jenkins, of North Moreland.

Charles Morrison, of Lakeside is seriously ill with pneumonia.

The social given by the Woodman Circle Saturday evening was well attended. A neat sum of money was realized which will be added to the treasury.

As a token of appreciation for his splendid work and success as superintendent of the Christian Sunday school, for several years, J. C. Harris, was presented with a nice sum of money, at the morning service yesterday by the members of the school. The presentation speech was made by W. E. Belvin.

The Millbrook Degree Club will met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Effie Held, of East Portsmouth.

E. T. Gilliland, of Rhodes avenue, is quite ill with scitica rheumatism.

Mrs. Belle Robinson of Ohio avenue has returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Griffin of Long Run.

The Loyal Worker's class of the Christian church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. James Semones of Ohio avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burnsides of Pine street had as guests Sunday, Mr. James Semones Sr. of Sciotoville and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Semones and sons Richard, Harold and Dallas of Ohio avenue.

The members of the Woodmen Circle are urged to be present at the regular meeting in Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Flack, of Harrisonville avenue have returned home from a week's visit with relatives in Columbus.

Immanuel Baptist Church Notes

The various departments of the church will meet this week to plan out the work for the coming year.

Monday evening at 7 at the church. Teachers Training Class. Clarks Wilson, teacher.

Personal Workers Class, Clinton Rose, teacher.

Board of Trustees will meet for organization and survey the work.

Tuesday evening at 7 at the Parsonage.

Board of Deacons will meet for organization and survey of work.

Tuesday evening at 7 at the home of Mrs. Carl Jenkins of Grant street. North Moreland the Woman's Missionary Society will meet for their regular session. There is need for a large attendance and a report from the leaders of groups of ten on the Missionary reading, and a preparation to pass out the new books. The members interested in the Jubilee Fund will also need to be present and report.

The World Wide Guild girls will meet the same evening in their class rooms in the church.

Wednesday evening will be the regular rally of the church for prayer. Those attending will read the scripture allotted for the day on our New World Calendars. A few items of business will be taken up at that time.

Thursday is the day when the Ladies Aid will meet for their all day sessions at the church. The President Mrs. Clarke is desirous that every lady be present not only because of the amount of work to be done but other matters as well.

The Board of Deaconesses will meet at the parsonage Thursday evening for organization and a survey of the work to be done.

Friday evening will see the choir in the church work their rehearsal. It is hoped that the members of both choirs will be present and will plan to assist in every way possible to make this the best year as to music in the church.

Plans are being made for the observance of the Ordinance of Baptism on Next Sunday afternoon.

The attention of the Baptist congregation and constituency is called to the special meetings in progress in the M. E. church. The pastor of the Baptist church hopes that each one of te congregation will do all in his power to make these meetings a success.

Tuesday evening at 6:30, at the Glenwood Gymnasium, the Boy Scouts will met. Steps will be taken to pick a winning Basketball Team and also to candidate to pass their second class work.

SCIENTISTS EXPECT GREAT DEVASTATION WHEN NEW FISSURES IN VESUVIUS OPEN

Remarkable aerial view of crater of Vesuvius emitting smoke and fumes.

HARDING CANVASSES THE LEGISLATURE SITUATION

MARION, O., January 3.—Again centering his attention upon domestic problems, President-elect Harding gave most of his time today to a minute canvas of the legislative situation in conference with Senator Curtis of Kansas, Republican whip in the senate.

Among other callers on his engagement list were Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, former chief of the forestry service; Paul D. Cravath, of New York, and Representative Towner, of Iowa.

May Enlarge Room

Friday afternoon a meeting of the Scioto County Farm Bureau directors will be held at the office of County Farm Agent Walter Gahm. At this meeting the directors will take up the matter of enlarging their office room.

MEASLES may be followed by serious cold troubles; use nightly—VICKS VAPORUB Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Would Borrow Ford Plant To Make Their Own Machines

DETROIT, MICH., January 3.—A petition requesting the use of the Ford Motor Company plant here for the manufacture of cars for employes, was being circulated among employes today for signature. The request proposes that the company turn over the plant to the workers during the period of the shut-down announced last week. Employes, the petition states, will agree to pay for all raw material and to return the plant in as good condition as it is at present.

The petition is being circulated by men who call themselves a "committee of Ford workers."

Officials at the plant said they had not heard of the request. All departments of the Highland Park plant were closed today, it was said at the plant.

Bethlehem Steel Firm Cuts Wages

BALTIMORE, MD., January 3.—A wage reduction of 10 to 20 percent was announced at the Sparrows Point plant of the Bethlehem Steel Co.

Colby and Torello Swap Declarations

BUENOS AIRES, January 2.—Mutual declarations of warm friendship between United States and Argentina and the exchange of toasts to President Wilson and Irogyen marked brief addresses of Senor Torello, acting foreign minister, and Bainbridge Colby, American secretary of state, at a banquet here tonight. Members of the Argentine cabinet and of Mr. Colby's party were present.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women and men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep them fit. 15c and 30c.

RHEUMATISM

Let the penetrating warmth of this liniment reach the swollen joints. Rub it in. Relief comes at once. Get the 60c. bottle from your druggist.

JAY'S 3X ABSORBENT OIL

Service — Quality — Satisfaction — with glasses from Bennett-Babcock Co.

237 Gallia Street Call 162 For Appointment

BENNETT-BABCOCK CO OPTICIANS

Pasteur Treatment A Success

Traffic Officer Stanley Schroeder, who was recently bitten by a mad dog and has been taking the Pasteur treatment, is improving. He is able to be around and expects to return to his work shortly. During his absence Callihan Smith is looking after his work.

Increase In Pupils

After the customary Christmas vacation the public and parochial schools resumed Monday. Supt. Frank Appel of the public schools reported an increased enrollment at several buildings.

Enrolls At Ohio State

Russell Rutledge of Lincoln street, who recently returned from the West left Monday for Columbus, where he entered the Ohio State University.

Back From Ironton

Phil Pratt of this city has returned from a visit to friends in Ironton.

Back On Road

John Brushart has returned to the road again for the Joseph G. Reed company, after spending the holidays with home folks here.

Three Cars Derailed

A westbound C. & O. freight train derailed three cars of coal near Silver Grove, Ky., Sunday, traffic being delayed for an hour. A broken flange on one of the cars caused the derailment.

Tank On a Strike

The hot water tank in Safety Director Si Strans' home on Sixth street let go Sunday and caused considerable damage in his home.

The Child's Character.

So then, you have the child's character in these four things—Humility, Faith, Charity and Cheerfulness. That's what you have to be converted to. "Except ye be converted and become as little children"— You hear much of conversion now-a-days; but people always seem to think they have got to be made wretched by conversion—to be converted to long faces. No, friends, you have got to be converted to short ones; you have to repent into childhood, to repent into delight, and delightsomeness.—John Ruskin.

Cuticura Soap The Velvet Touch For the Skin

Soap, Ointment, Talcum, 25c everywhere. For samples address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

Irritating Coughs

Promptly treat coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis and similar inflamed and irritated conditions of the throat with a tested remedy

PISO'S

Roy Gordon To Be In Cincy

"The Sweetheart Shop" will be in Cincinnati the week of January 17, and no doubt will be witnessed by many Portsmouth people as Roy Gordon of this city is one of the leading actors in the big company.

Returns From Cincinnati

John Smith, N. & W. passenger agent here, is home from a short business trip to Cincinnati.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio, January 3, 1921.

	Fld. stg. riv. ft.	Hgt. river ft.	Change since last 24 hrs.	Prec. last 24 hrs.
Franklin	15	6.3R		
Greensboro	18	9.4R		
Pittsburgh	22	7.1R		
Dam No. 13		9.2R		
Zanesville	25	11.0R		
Parkersburg	36	8.0R		
Charleston	30	4.5F		
Point Pleasant	40	6.1F		
Huntington	50	8.4F		
Ashland	50	10.5F		
Portsmouth	50	11.5F	1.50	
Cincinnati	50	16.2F		

F. R. WINTER, River Observer.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets

Be sure its Bromo

E. W. Grove

The genuine bears this signature 30c.

OUR 1921 SERVICE

will include—as has our service in years past—those qualities of dependability and progressiveness which are desired by firms and individuals who know the value of SAFE and genuinely HELPFUL savings service.

Those who contemplate opening new or additional savings or reserve accounts in 1921 are cordially invited to consider the facilities of this institution.

The Royal Savings & Loan Co.

Royal Savings Building

GALLIA STREET ON THE SQUARE

Business Hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Tuesday, 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.
Saturday, 8 A. M. to 12 M.

THIS IS THE LAST WEEK TO JOIN.

When The Christmas Bells Ring Again

will YOU be prepared to bring happiness to your loved ones with splendid Christmas gifts?

Will you have enough money so that you can really enjoy Christmas without worrying over your bills, your taxes, or other obligations?

JOIN OUR 1921

CHRISTMAS CLUB

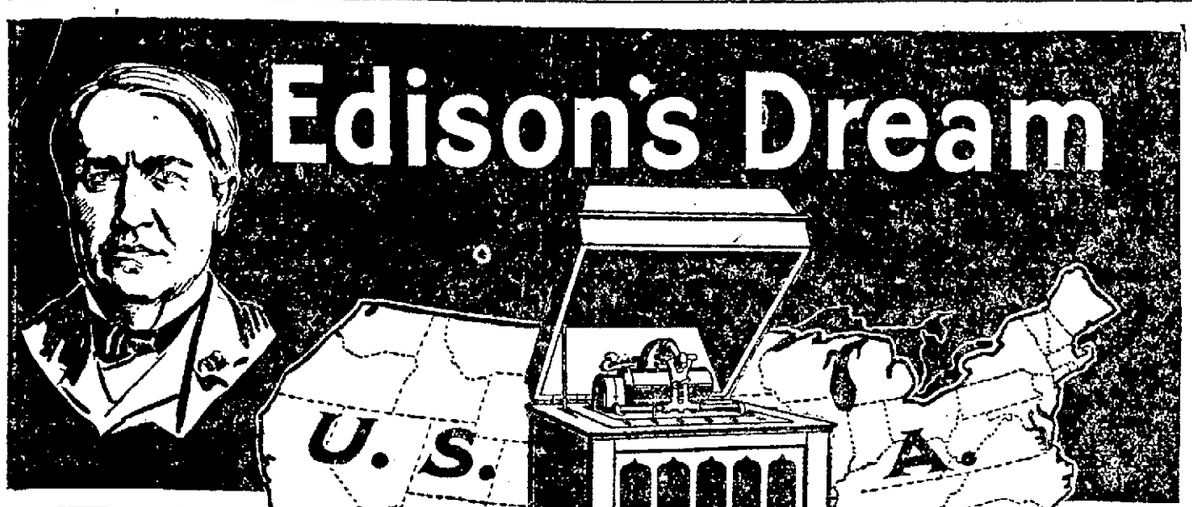
Then next December you will get our check for $12.50 to $250 (depending on which class you join) plus interest at 3 per cent interest if all your payments are made regularly.

Join AN ONCE. Club Closes Saturday, Jan. 8th

CHRISTMAS CLUB HEADQUARTERS
OPEN TUESDAY EVENING 6 TO 8

The First National Bank

THE BANK FOR WORKING PEOPLE



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Into Every American Home!

The great secret of Thomas A. Edison's genius is his wish to serve mankind. This is the noble ambition which has kept his wonderful creative brain tirelessly at work through a long lifetime of marvelous achievement. Edison invented the phonograph, and spent years perfecting it, for a definite purpose—to bring *music* into the homes and daily lives of his fellow-men.

That is why Edison dealers are pledged to carry out the spirit of Edison's expressed wish in offering you

EDISON'S NEW DIAMOND

AMBEROLA

We want to make it as *easy* as possible for you to own an Amberola phonograph. No matter how *little* you feel you can afford to pay, we will arrange *most convenient terms* of payment, that will surprise you.

We will let nothing stand in the way of your having music in *your* home—*real* music, such as only Edison's own phonographs can give you.

Edison's Amberola is not to be confused with ordinary phonographs and "talking machines." It is the world's greatest phonograph value—the "master product of a master mind." After listening to the shrill, metallic sound of ordinary phonographs, the *pure tone* of the Amberola is a revelation! So is the genuine *Diamond Point Reproducer* (no needles to change). So are the Amberol Records, which outlast ordinary, fragile records for years and years!

We want you to come to our store and listen to Edison's Amberola at your earliest convenience—today, tomorrow, *soon*. You will be welcome any time—so come *without fail*.

RICE BROS.

Licensed Dealers Opposite Postoffice

GRAND JURY CONVENES TUESDAY

Youths Confess To Robbery In The East End, Police Say

Milford Williams, aged 14 years, 2001 Sixth street, and Jacob Nichols, aged 14 years, 2120 Seventh street, were taken into custody by the police and locked up at the city prison Sunday in connection with the robbery at the Flood & Blake drug store Friday night.

After a search at their homes revealed a part of the stolen property, including two flobert rifles and a number of boxes of cartridges, the lads admitted guilt and implicated two other boys, according to the police, but they have not been apprehended.

The youthful robbers gained entrance to the drug store by smashing a window, and besides the guns and cartridges, carried away a number of alarm clocks. The two youths already in custody were sent to the Juvenile court.

The grand jury will be convened by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Tuesday morning when the jury will be required to take up and investigate the score or more cases in the criminal docket which came up on transcript from magistrate's courts and any other matters which may be brought to their attention.

More than 0 5witnesses have already been subpoenaed to appear before the probers and it is expected that two days will be required to finish the investigation.

The jury is composed of the members of the original venire which was drawn at the start of the September term including Samuel Wise, foreman, and 11 other fellow jurors.

WEEK OF PRAYER AT S ECOND PRESBYTERIAN

This week will be observed as a week of prayer at the Second Presbyterian church. The program for the week will consist of a series of talks on Presbyterian ministers of Presbyterian churches of this vicinity to take the leading parts. The program is as follows:

Monday, "The History of Presbyterianism," Rev. D. C. Boyd; Tuesday, "Presbyterian Judicatories," Rev. B. B. Cartwright; Wednesday, "Presbyterianism and the Inspiration of the Scriptures," Dr. George P. Horst; Thursday, "Presbyterianism and the Sovereignty of God," Rev. E. B. Townsend, of Ironton; Friday, "Presbyterianism and World Problems," Rev. H. W. Buck.

Former Scioto Countian Has First Grove Of "Temple" Orange s In St. Lucie County, Fla.

The following from the Metropolis of Jacksonville, Florida, will be of interest, as Mr. W. E. Feazel is a former Scioto county resident.

FORT PIERCE, Dec. 20—(Special)—The Temple orange is invading St. Lucie county. The first complete grove of this famous orange planted is that of W. E. Feazel, which contains ten acres. The grove is young but is growing well, the land first having been cleared, plowed disced and laid off in elevations. A number of other growers set out small holdings to the Temple orange and the trees seem to be giving excellent returns."

DR. A. B. WARRENER IS CRITICALLY ILL

Dr. A. B. Warrener of El Paso, Tex., is in a critical condition at his home in that city. He has been in poor health for many years the result of pulmonary trouble. His condition improved shortly after going to Texas but later he began to lose ground and according to relatives here his condition is very serious. Dr. Werrener married Miss Grace Fagan of this city and she will be unable to come here to attend the funeral of her father, Capt. Frank M. Fagan, who passed away Sunday night at his home, 603 Eighth street.

Need of Friendship.

He that can only be useful on great occasions may die without exercising his abilities and stand a helpless spectator of a thousand vexations which fret away happiness and which nothing is required to remove but a little dexterity of conduct and readiness of expedients. No degree of knowledge attainable by man is able to set him above the want of hourly assistance, or to extinguish the desire of fond endearments and tender officiousness; and, therefore, no one should think it unnecessary to leave those arts by which friendship is gained. Kindness is preserved by constant reciprocation of benefits and interchange of pleasures; but such benefits can only be bestowed as others are capable to receive, and such pleasures imparted as others are qualified to enjoy.—Dr. Samuel Johnson.

Origin of Boston's Tremont Street.

The origin of Boston's Tremont street is said to be a corruption of Trimountain, by which name the town of Boston was first known owing to the presence of three high hills serving as a background to the peninsula.

Rich Sulphur District.

At some remote time there must have been tremendous volcanic activity in the region which is today the gulf coast of Louisiana and Texas; for in those parts are found deposits of sulphur vastly exceeding in quantity any known elsewhere in the world. They are covered over by hundreds of feet of later sedimentary material, and to get at the sulphur, deep wells have to be sunk. Superheated water is forced down the pipes to melt the sulphur, which is brought to the surface by the power of compressed air. On cooling it is ready for shipment, being 99 per cent pure.

Danger in Elephant Drive.

Driving elephants at night is a slow, trying, dangerous job. It means fighting every foot of the way through dense jungle and keeping up a continual hubbub of tom-toms and shouts, relates Charles Mayer, in Asia Magazine. The elephants wish to avoid the noise, and they move slowly away from it, crashing through the trees and vines. The men who are directly behind have the easiest time, for they can follow the trails broken by the elephants; those on the sides must cut trails with their parangs. No lights can be used, and care must be taken to avoid the little elephants, which roam about investigating the noise. If they see a man and give the danger signal, the entire herd stampedes.

Danger in Incandescent Lamps.

Evidence that the high-power incandescent lamps now so commonly used for street lighting may not be wholly innocent as a possible source of fire was observed in southern California recently, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. A bulb hanging 20 feet above the ground suddenly burst and the white-hot particles of metal it scattered instantly ignited the dry grass at the foot of the pole. Fire wardens of the district are now advocating the use of suitable guards about the lamps.

PRESIDENTIAL CAR IS WITHOUT COOK

Delefosse Green.

Delefosse Green, for years chef of the presidential car, has hanged in his resignation. Green, during his years of service, had the honor of cooking for many notables, including the presidents, diplomats and English nobility. When King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium toured the U. S. Delefosse served their meals. The king decorated him. But Delefosse says he can't live on honor and says he's going into more remunerative employment.

Thirst Fatal in a Week.

The average man will die for want of air in five minutes, for want of water in a week, for want of sleep in ten days.

Explaining His Name.

Jack, whose maternal grandmother had been married three times, on being asked for whom he was named, said: "Why, I was named after mother's first father."

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold right up.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's.

Ironton Man Is Married

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—Blooming azaleas and bride roses against a background of palms and Southern smilax, made a lovely setting for the wedding ceremony and reception of Miss Glenn Margaret Poage and Mr. Charles Crawford of Ironton, Ohio, which took place at 10 a. m. today at the pretty apartments of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoge Poage, of 1417 East 666 Place.

Revival Is Well Attended

Big crowds attended the revival meetings held each night this past week at the Long Run U. B. church, they being in charge of Rev. Silas Smith. The entire community is being stirred by the gospel messages of Rev. Smith. There is special music each evening during the service.

The revival will continue very night this week, starting at 7 o'clock. The meetings will come to a close this next Sunday. Sunday the Sabbath school attendance was 127, the record for this school. Eight were converted this past week.

Are Holding Demonstration

Beginning this Monday and continuing until January 10, The H. A. Link company will hold a demonstration of the Humphrey Radiant fire in the offices of the Portsmouth Gas company, Eighth and Chillicothe streets.

Modern Deluge.

The biggest yearly rainfall is in Assam. In 1861 the world's record was broken there by a fall of 805 inches, or more than 67 feet of rain.

Sheriff Rickey And Deputy Dunham Sworn In Today

Sheriff E. E. Rickey entered upon his second term Monday morning when he was sworn in at the office of the Clerk of Courts, Deputy John W. Hall administering the oath.

Harry Dunham, whose reappointment as deputy has been approved by Judge Thomas, was also sworn in this morning, along with Mrs. E. E. Rickey as jail matron.

Dunham will be the only deputy sheriff for a time, as Sheriff Rickey has announced that he will not name a successor to Elza Canter, who severed his connection with the office New Year's Day after a service of almost a year. Mr. Canter, who retired to his farm in Jefferson township, made many friends during his service by his uniform urbanity to all with whom he came into contact.

SOLDIER FOUND IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES

On information that he has violated his leave of absence from the navy by remaining away after the time, a young man named Roy Duncan was taken into custody Sunday night by Capt. Lee Startzman, who ordered the Jack Tar detained at the city jail pending word from the navy department. Duncan was attired in civilian clothes when apprehended, the police say.

Is Accused Of Driving His Automobile While Intoxicated

Emmett Hite, aged 22 years, was the name given by a man taken into custody Sunday by the police on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated after it is claimed, he backed his machine into a taxi owned by the Private Taxi company while it was standing at the N. and W. depot. The cab was slightly damaged. The accused was released on $50 bond for his appearance in Municipal court for trial.

FIREMEN QUENCH GAS LEAK FIRE

A silent alarm called the Gallia street fire company to Sixth and Broadway streets shortly after ten o'clock Sunday forenoon to extinguish a blaze which started from a leak in a gas main in the street.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

WILL GRANT ADDITI ONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Free scholarships to the number of fourteen in Y. M. C. A. Home Study courses have been granted to ex-service men in Scioto county so far out of a fund for 1920 and the local committee, of which Therron Matthews of this city is secretary, has already been authorized to grant additional scholarships immediately out of a fund for 1921 which is only one-half as large as the one for this year.

One free collegiate scholarship in addition has been granted by the State Y. M. C. A. Educational Service Committee at Columbus to an ex-service man in this county who has the necessary elementary education. The smaller fund for 1921 will be consumed by further awards.

Four thousand ex-service men, representing every county in Ohio, were given additional educational opportunity in this way out of the 1920 fund.

BUYS INTEREST IN RESTAURANT

Carl and Howard Doerr are now running the restaurant in the old St. Charles building on Market street. Carl has purchased an interest in the building. He is a well-known plumber and until recently was employed in the Whitaker-Glessner company. The new firm will no doubt do a splendid business.

Tries To Burn Jail

IRONTON, Jan. 3—Harry Steele of Chillicothe was arrested by Chief Massie on a drunk and disorderly charge, and was confined in the city bastile. Steele did not take kindly to being locked up and as soon as the officers left him he began breaking everything near him and set his blanket afire, causing the officials to think the building was afire.

Is Improving

Floyd Bartlett of 816 Third street, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, is improving. He is a patient in Hempstead hospital.

To Install Officers

A business meeting of the Young People's League of the First Evangelical church will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Sunday school. There will be installation of officers and every member is urged to be present.

AT ITS BEST

The strongest compliment ever paid to

Scott's Emulsion

is the vain attempts at imitation. Those who take cod-liver oil at its best, take *Scott's Emulsion*—

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

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KI-MOIDS

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FOR INDIGESTION

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WHY HAVE CATARRH?

So Disagreeable to Yourself and All About You.

Catarrh is generally conceded to be a constitutional disease. Therefore it requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla which reaches every part of the system by thoroughly purifying and enriching the blood. This medicine removes the cause of the trouble, which if not checked may lead to more serious disease.

In 46 years of use and test Hood's Sarsaparilla has relieved many cases as told by voluntary letters of commendation. Why not get a bottle today and give it a trial? It combines economy and efficiency. Keep Hood's Pills on hand as a family cathartic.

HE'S WEIGHTIEST MEMBER OF HOUSE

Rep. Samuel E. Winslow.

Rep. Samuel E. Winslow of Massachusetts is said to be the heaviest man in the house of representatives. He weighs 300 pounds. He is a Republican and laughingly remarks that he kept his weight while worrying through a Democratic administration and now hopes to pick up a few pounds.

When You Can't Sleep for Coughing—

YOU CAN GET RID OF the annoying, distressing cough that results from constant effort to clear a "tickling" throat—or even the deep, heavy, wrenching cough that accompanies a bad cold;—you can relieve spasmodic croup, whooping cough, la grippe and bronchial coughs by taking

Foley's Honey and Tar

COMPOUND

Do not accept a substitute. The curative influence of pine tar and the balmy, laxative effect of honey are so well known that there are many imitations of the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar Compound on the market, but imitations lack the scientific blending and other healing ingredients found exclusively in Foley's.

The First Dose Gave Relief

C. E. Summers, Holdredge, Neb., writes: "Some time ago I contracted a very severe cough and cold due to exposure. My cough got so bad I could hardly sleep for two or three nights. A friend of mine recommended Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and I got a 60c bottle. The very first dose relieved me. I took a second dose before going to bed and can truthfully say I did not cough once all night. By using as directed the next two days my cough was entirely gone, and I give Foley's Honey and Tar full credit for my speedy and permanent recovery."

Prompt steps should be taken to check coughing at night. It not only weakens the sufferer, but it is troublesome to other members of the family. Loss of sleep and nervous strain quickly wear out the afflicted one, and he or she soon is in no condition to ward off attacks of more dangerous sickness.

Fisher & Streich Pharmacy

You Will Be Pleased when you change from coffee to

INSTANT POSTUM

The flavor gratifies and the annoyances coffee sometimes causes quickly cease.

"There's a Reason"

Made by Postum Cereal Co., Inc. Battle Creek, Mich.

Hot Water Bottles

A maximum hot water bottle — 2 quart size — Every bottle guaranteed perfect. Regular price $2.25. Special price

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The Rexall Store

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Drugs — Kodaks—Candy

419 Chilli. St.

Don't Forget Our Clearance Sale

In Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts Will Continue for January

DRESSES in Silk, Wool go at half price.
COATS for ladies, misses, children all go at half price.
SUITS all go at half price.
SKIRTS all go at half price.
The prices that you can buy a new Coat, Suit or Dress are below

PRE-WAR PRICES

and cheaper than you can buy them next season so it will pay you to buy now.

A. Brunner & Sons

909-911 GALLIA STREET

GIRL SUFFERS BROKEN LEG AND ELBOW IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Vera Brown, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Brown of the Salladay farm, West Side, near Dry Run, suffered a broken left elbow and a broken leg just above the ankle when struck by an automobile Saturday. The machine was driven by Bud Detell of Post Creek.

The little girl was on her way to the home of her uncle, Triz Pendleton, when she was struck by the machine. The little girl was on the right side of the road, but started across the road to a mail box, the driver not having time to swerve to one side to avoid hitting the girl.

The girl was knocked to the paved road, her leg and elbow being broken in the fall. Dr. J. W. Obrist reduced the broken bones. An X-ray of the elbow and leg were taken at Fowler's X-ray laboratory.

SENATE ASKS FOR INFORMATION ON NECESSITIES OF DISTRESSED NATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—A resolution calling on the state department for "accurate information" as to the "necessities of women and children in the various distressed nations" in Europe for whom funds are being raised in the United States, was adopted today by the senate immediately upon its introduction by Senator Edge, Republican, of New Jersey.

CLAIM PURE FOOD LAWS WERE VIOLATED; WARRANTS ISSUED

Warrants were sworn out in Municipal court Monday for the arrest of B. J. Frederick, butcher, 605 Second street; William Schwinker, clerk at the Schisler meat market, 718 John street, and Charles Riley, grocer, for alleged violations of the pure food laws.

The complaints were filed by Edwin James, an inspector for the state health department, and charges Frederick and Schwinker with selling adulterated meat, commonly known as hamburger, by mixing with it sulphates, it is claimed, which colored the meat and made it appear better and of greater value than it really was.

Riley is charged with selling adulterated vinegar, it being alleged that the fluid he sold as vinegar contained an added coloring matter, other than the color imparted to it by distillation.

The trio will be required to appear before Judge Small in Municipal court Tuesday to meet the charges.

JOHN KIELMAN ACCIDENTALLY SHOT IN THE FOOT BY HIS SON

John Kielman, a former merchant policeman and a well known resident of the West End was accidentally shot in the right foot Saturday. He was in an out building in the rear of his home 405 Front street when his young son, William fired a 22 calibre rifle out of a rear window. The lad was just breaking in a new rifle he had received for Christmas and was shooting at a target in the back yard. The shot went wild the bullet going through the door of the outbuilding and lodging in Mr. Kielman's foot.

The bullet was located just underneath the ankle by an X-ray taken at Fowlers laboratory. Sunday the bullet was removed by Drs. J. N. Ellison and Gilbert Micklethwait the operation being performed at the Kielman home.

Get Your New Auto Tag; 3,000 Arrive

Tomorrow the work of issuing 1921 license tags will start at the Chamber of Commerce office, Sixth street entrance.

T. V. Taylor, deputy registrar from the office of Registrar of Automobiles A. G. Snaw, Columbus, arrived Monday to take charge of the distribution of the license tags. A shipment of about 3,000 tags was received Monday and are already at the C. of C. rooms.

Mr. Taylor hopes to be able to issue 500 tags a day, providing everyone has their application blanks filled out.

Miss Alberta Robinson, stenographer for the Automobile Club will glady fill out all blanks for Auto Club and Chamber of Commerce members only.

Hite Deprived Of Right To Drive Auto

"A fine of $25 and costs and right to drive suspended for 30 days," was the penalty imposed by Judge Small in Municipal court Monday in the case of Emmett Hite, aged 22 years, who admitted guilt of driving his automobile while intoxicated.

Hite, who is a car repairer and lives at 1513 Sixth street, was arrested Sunday after he had backed his car into a taxi standing at the N. & W. passenger station.

ITALY SUSPENDS PASSPORTS OF IMMIGRANTS TO AMERICA

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—The royal Italian government has suspended the issue of passports to subjects emigrating to the United States, and will refrain from issuing such passports until informed as to the classes of immigrants desired in this country, the state department has been advised by the Italian embassy.

Identifying Her.

Donald had a new pair of tan shoes of which he was very proud. He came in the house one day after playing with two little girls, one of whom had red hair, and said, "Mother, the girl with the tan hair is very cross."

Shall Not Pass This Way Again.

Efforts to identify the author of this much-quoted quotation have failed. It has been attributed to Stephen Grillet an American Quaker of French birth (1773-1855); R. W. Emerson, Edward Courtenay, earl of Devon; Sir Roland Hill (1744-1833); Marcus Aurelius, Miss A. B. Hageman, Addison, Thomas Carlyle and others. And it is also said that the germ of it is to be found in the writings of a Chinese philosopher. There seems to be some authority in favor of Grillet being the author, but the passage does not occur in any of his printed works.

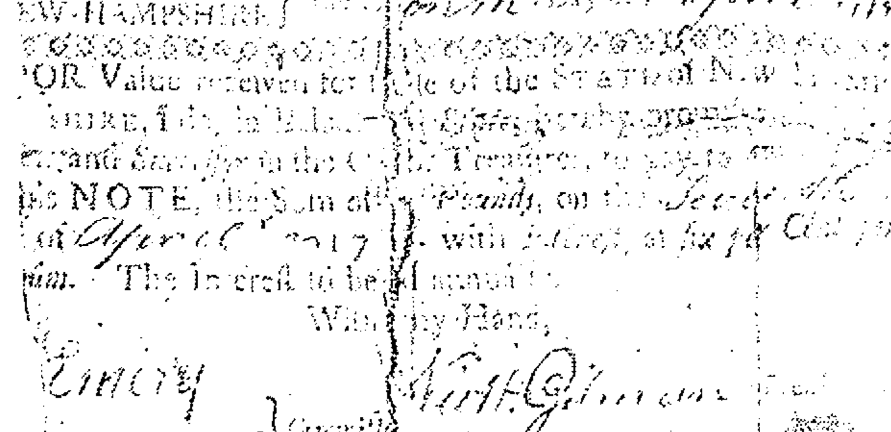
Wonderful Vatican Library.

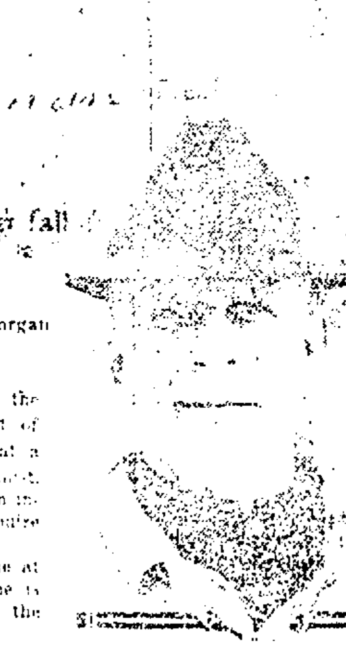
The Vatican library is the most sumptuously housed of all libraries, and contains some of the rarest manuscripts in existence. The printed books include over 2,500 volumes issued in the Fifteenth century, many of them vellum copies. The library is said to contain over 220,000 volumes and 20,000 manuscripts.

Class in America.

America is full of middle class folk who feel upper class and lower class folk who feel middle class, but there are no lower class folk who feel lower class.—Baltimore Sun.

STATE ASKED TO PAY $210,000 FOR $50 NOTE ISSUED IN 1774


No.
STATE OF
NEW-HAMPSHIRE
the [illegible] Day of April 1774
FOR Value received for the use of the STATE of New Hamp-
shire, I the [illegible]
[illegible] in the [illegible] Treasurer, to pay to [illegible]
this NOTE, the Sum of [illegible] Pounds, on the [illegible]
of April 1777 with Interest, at six per Cent per
annum. The Interest to be paid annually.
Witness my Hand,
Emery
Committee
J. Smith



Photographic reproduction of the $50 note which William F. Morgan says is worth $210,000, and Morgan.

The $50 note, reproduced above, was issued in 1774 by the state of New Hampshire to John Winslow in return for a loan. Now Winslow's descendent, William F. Morgan, has asked the state of New Hampshire to pay him $210,000, this being the amount of the original note plus six per cent compounded annually. The state has refused and will fight the suit. Morgan is a resident of Syracuse and is employed at a factory there as a machinist. His fellow workers are much interested in his efforts to acquire a fortune.

Morgan says he'll continue at his job as a machinist if he is successful in collecting the amount he seeks.

Bureau Directors Organize

Directors of the Bureau of Community Service met for their January session Monday noon at the Elk parlors and organized for 1921 by electing officers. The officers are: President, Samuel Horchow; 1st Vice-President, Attorney George M. Osborn; 2nd Vice-President, Floyd Fuller; 3rd Vice-President, George Goodman; Treasurer, Simon Labold.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The Mizpah Class will meet with Mrs. Frank Brown, 611 Market street, Monday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a rally at the home of Miss Lizzie Keller, 1220 Eighteenth street, Wednesday afternoon. All members are urged to be present. A special invitation is given to all the ladies of the church and their friends.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. A special prayer service will be held and a large attendance is expected.

Choir practice Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

C. E. business meeting Thursday evening at the home of the Misses Clara and Gertrude Richter. All members are requested to attend.

Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday morning at 10:15.

The Men's Bible class will meet one week from Friday night at the home of H. B. Murray.

DAMAGE SUIT IS SETTLED

Attorneys Blair and Blair announced Monday that the $50,000 damage suit of Edward Dingess, who lives near Wheelersburg, against the Whitaker-Glessner company, had been satisfactorily settled out of court.

Dingess was recently badly injured when at work in the local steel plant and the suit was a sequel to his injuries.

WILSON SENDS CROWDER TO CONFER WITH CUBANS

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—By direction of President Wilson, Major General Enoch H. Crowder has sailed for Havana to confer with President Menocal regarding the situation in Cuba.

SOCIETY

Announcement is made of the marriage of Talmadge Edwards and Miss Bert Harris, which took place on September 4 in Circleville. Mrs. Edwards, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris of Greenup, is one of the efficient nurses with the Bureau of Community Service. Mr. Edwards is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Edwards of Oak Hill and is connected with the Leet Lumber Company as salesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards have gone to house-keeping at 1418 Center street.

After spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitch of Ninth street, Dr. Clyde Fitch left today to take up his work at the Johns Hopkins Medical School. He was accompanied by his wife and they will take up their residence in Baltimore.

Miss Helen Haldeman of Gallia street will return Wednesday from a visit in Wheeling and will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Nelson E. Whitaker, who will visit here for a few days.

Mrs. Emma Millar and Miss Mary Muggeridge have returned to their home at Newport, Ky., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kirby of Fourth street.

Graves Williams of Gallia street went to Wheeling today to attend a dance and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson E. Whitaker.

Leo Sommer of Fifth street left this morning for Lakeland, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Glenn Brady of 1630 Eighteenth street will receive the members of the Minerva Kensington Club on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Marcella Sommer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sommer of Fifth street, returned to O. S. U. Columbus, after spending the holidays here.

Enroute from Coal Grove, where he visited his cousin, William H. Rowe, who is critically ill, W. S. Ballard of Columbus is here for a brief stay with his cousins, Mrs. Carl Patterson, Mrs. Earl Patterson and Mrs. Howard Rowe.

The meeting of the Portsmouth Reading Club is postponed from tonight until Tuesday night, when it will meet at the home of Mr. B. H. Dillon on Waller street.

Attorney Aronhold Schapiro will arrive home tonight from Pittsburgh, where he spent the holidays. Mrs. Schapiro will remain for a more extended visit to her mother, Mrs. Felix Half.

Arthur Maule of High street has returned from a visit to friends in Columbus.

The first meeting of the F. M. C. Club, composed of piano pupils of Harold H. Walker, met recently at his home on Fifth street. A program was given in which every member took part and a guessing party was a feature of the afternoon. At the close of the program various games were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the host assisted by his mother, Mrs. Ella M. Walker, to the following: Magdalene Knost, Jean McCarty, Sara Louise Walker, Dorothy Barber, Eleanor Barber, Dorothy White, Glover White, Katherine Williams, Virginia Tracy, Betsy Lathem and Earl Chilkettie.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

One of the prettiest affairs of the yuletide was a party given Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moore, at their home on Center street in honor of their daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Katherine Moore. Colors in keeping with the season made the house quite attractive for the occasion. At daintily appointed tables, cards were played while dancing was also a popular diversion of the evening.

Mrs. Moore was assisted by Mrs. Horace Reese in the serving of delightful refreshments of ices, cake and punch. Those enjoying the evening were, Misses Catherine and Louise Reis, Ruth Walden, Pauline Walden, Lillian Purdy, Marjorie Purdy, Helen Elsesser, Florence Johnson, Frances Mosham, Alma Dunerdeck, Mabel Kent, Cora Agnes Francis, Allene Williams, Lucille Moore, Frances Halstead, Lorena Nagel, Katherine Herms of Portsmouth, Verne Sloan, Gladys Whitt, Maurita Sikes and Louise Beloats; Messrs. Paul Stedman, Lester Brown, Richard Reinhardt, Wesley Fritz, John Snyder, Vaugh Brock, Bruce Powell, Glen Balmer, Albert French, William Bierley, Willard Nagel, Louis Reinhardt, Paul Sherman, Ralph Richards, Teachnor Smith, William Mohler, Ray Schaffer, Harold Richards, Harry Scott, Gerald Marsh, Paul Andrews, Nelson Turner and Donald Beloat.

Mr. and Mrs. George Russ and daughters Phyllis and Gretchen and Mrs. Flo Jenkins and daughters Gaylin and Imogene attended the pageant, "The Star of Bethlehem," at Bigelow church last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and sons John Clay and Marion of Eastern avenue spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCormick of Franklin Furnace.

Christian Church Notes

Class No. 7 will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. James Barnett. This is the regular monthly business meeting. Each member is urged to be present. On Tuesday evening at seven o'clock class number ten will meet at the home of Miss Sylvia Walbright, of Short street. It is urged that all members attend as matters of importance will be taken up.

WHEELERSBURG

Among the out of town people who were here to attend the funeral of the late William Duis Friday afternoon were Mrs. H. A. Marting, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Robinson, George Ketter, Harold Ketter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ketter, Bernard Ketter, Mary and Mabel Ketter of Ironton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marting, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. David Bush, Miss Ida Herms, W. T. Mackey, of Portsmouth, Walter W. Meek, Jr., of San Diego, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bell and son Joe of Columbus.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Bertha Bussler

Mrs. Bertha Bussler wife of Henry Bussler of Bonsers Run back of Sciotoville died at 2:30 Monday afternoon in Hempstead hospital. She suffered an attack of acute appendicitis Saturday evening and was removed to Hempstead hospital, where she was operated on Saturday night.

Mrs. Bussler was about 35 years of age. She is survived by her husband and six children. The family moved to Bonsers Run about 8 years ago from Portsmouth.

Keenous Frazier

Death about 12:30 o'clock Monday afternoon claimed Keenous Frazier, the final summons coming at his home 1224 Lincoln street. He had been ill about two weeks with heart trouble and rheumatism.

The deceased was 26 years of age. He was born and reared in Floyd county, Ky., coming to Portsmouth about four years ago. He was employed as carrier at the N. and W. shops at East Portsmouth.

His wife, Reiza Frazier and two children Hortense and Hartwell survive. He also leaves five sisters and three brothers.

Mr. Frazier was a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America.

Mrs. Sarah Pettit

Mrs. Sarah Pettit, a native of Minford, this county, died Sunday, Jan. 2, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Mantle, of Kenova, W. Va. Death was caused by infirmities. She was born and reared at Minford. While raising her family she lived in Portsmouth, but after her marriage to Allen Pettit moved to Wakefield. Mr. Pettit died seven years ago at Wakefield, after which the widow moved to Lucasville. She made that village her home, although she spent some time with her children in various cities.

She was taken ill about two weeks ago at the home of her daughter in Kenova. The deceased was in her 83rd year.

She leaves the following sons and daughters, J. T. Stiles of Indianapolis, James W. Stiles, Coshocton, O., C. A. Stiles, this city, Mrs. James Hammond, Firebrick, Ky., Mrs. J. S. Stephenson, Newark, O. and Mrs. Joseph Mantle of Kenova, W. Va.

The body arrived Monday afternoon over N. & W. train No. 15 from Kenova and was taken to the home of C. A. Stiles, 1540 Twelfth street.

Funeral services will be held from the Stiles home Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, with Rev. N. E. Butler of Trinity church in charge.

Burial will be in Greenlawn.

Holweg Dies In Germany

BERLIN, January 3.—Dr. Theobold Von Bethmann Holweg, former imperial chancellor, of Germany, died after short illness of pneumonia.

To Install Officers

A meeting of the Knights of St. George will be held this evening at 7:30, in St. Mary's hall. Installation of officers will take place and other business of importance will be transacted. Every member is urged to attend.

REALTY DEALS

Obie F. Aplegate to Joseph Artis, lot on Eighth street, $1 etc.

John Duis, Trustee, to John W. Bishham, lot in Pinedale addition, $1 etc.

James G. Bennett to M. C. Burchett, lot on Eighth street, $1 etc.

Lucy Gyor to Albert Killen, lot on Sixth street, $1 etc.

Ella Yeazle to Paul Meyer, lot Connolly and Haldeman addition, $1 etc.

George D. Selby to Mark W. Selby, land fronting 102 feet on Fourth St. $1 etc.

Elizabeth Sutter to C. W. Bierley and others, 86 acres Clay township $1 etc.

J. H. Carr to G. W. Hilton, 170 acres Green Twp. $1 etc.

W. E. Tripp to James Glenn, 10 acres Porter Twp. $1 etc.

John P. Addis to Frank M. Cottle, 12 acres Jefferson Twp. $1 etc.

F. P. Moulton, Trustee, to John W. Russell, 11 lots, Spellacy addition, $235 each.

F. W. Moulton, Trustee, to Rose C. Russell, lot Spellacy addition, $235.

Henry T. Bannon to N. and W. Rwy. Co. part lot in Skelton addition $1 etc.

John Ramey to G. C. Roberts, 30 acres, Jefferson Twp. $400.

A. P. Robinson to E. H. Hill, 46 acres Brush Creek Twp. $1000.

Marriage Licenses

Charles Snyder, 23, plasterer, city, and Ella Smith, 19, housekeeper, city. Rev. William Lawhorn.

Leon G. Marshall, 29, civil engineer, Westbury, N. Y., and Louise B. Micklethwait, 27, at home, city. Rev. N. E. Butler.

John Corrirell, 19, clerk, Minford and Ethel Walter, 20, postmistress, Minford. Rev. William Lawhorn.

Top of the United States.

An aerial view of the top of Mount Rainier, the 14,500-foot peak of Washington, was recently made. The aviator was forced to make an ascent of three miles to get the picture, and the photograph shows one of the now extinct volcano craters.

COURT HOUSE

Will Admitted To Probate

A will executed on March 6, 1915, by George Kittle, late Vernon township farmer, who died Aug. 18, 1920, has been admitted to probate.

Under the will he left his entire estate including a farm in Vernon township, to his son, Charles Kittle, who is named as executor.

Commissioners Meet

The County Commissioners were in session at the Court House Monday, members of the board spending the day chiefly in allowing the regular semi-monthly schedule and signing the vouchers.

Suit In Partition

Partition of a house and lot in the Barr addition left of the estate of Margaret Young, late of this city, who died February 8, 1910, is sought in a suit filed by Adam Youngman in Common Pleas court Monday through Attorneys Johnson and Skelton against Floyd and Roland Youngman, the defendants being the only heirs at law and next of kin of George Youngman, who died at Cold Spring, N. Y., last March and who was one of the heirs at law of the decedent, Margaret Young.

The plaintiff in his petition represents he has a legal right to the undivided eight-tenths part of the premises involved in addition to a life estate in the property.

Charges Cruelty

Sarah J. Wagner, formerly of this city, now living at Bear Creek, West Side, charges cruelty in her suit for alimony from William H. Wagner, Lerb medicine manufacturer, 522 Second street, in an action instituted in Common Pleas court Monday.

She says they were married Feb. 12, 1912, and through Attorney W. R. Sprague alleges that Wagner threatened to shoot her and declares that he refused to allow her in their home, asserting that he drove her away last February since when they have lived apart, she says.

The plaintiff says that by reason of her own labor she has become possessed of three lots in Washington township and a farm of 68 acres in Morgan township and she asks that the defendant be divested of all interest in her property and she secured an injunction tying up his property pending hearing of the suit on its merits.

Court of Appeals Decision

Court of Appeals in written opinions received Monday by Clerk of Courts Cunningham, affirms lower court in one case and reverses it in another.

The case reversed was that of E. R. Norman, Ashland auto salesman and William Carley, Cincinnati, hotel clerk who were convicted of the larceny of liquor from the home of J. S. Stevens, Mt. Joy, on the night of Jan. 16 1920, and sentenced to the penitentiary. The case was carried up on error, the defense claiming that the trial court erred in its general charge to the jury in defining the law applicable to the defense of an alibi and in passing on the question sustains that contention. In this connection the court says, "It is apparent that the court was confused in its statements to the jury on this matter. Doubtless what the court intended to say was that the burden of proving the guilt of the defendants did not shift by reason of the defense of an alibi, but upon the whole evidence in the case the state must establish the defendants' guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

But the court did not say this and did not correctly state the law on this subject, and the jury could not possibly have understood from this instruction the true rule, which if on the whole evidence, including that of alibi, they have a reasonable doubt of the defendants' guilt he is entitled to have the benefit of it." Notwithstanding the court is in harmony with the verdict of the jury the opinion says it is forced reluctantly to reverse the judgment and remand the case for retrial.

It will be recalled that the evidence adduced at the trial showed that 25 gallons of whiskey were stolen from the Stevens home on the night of Jan. 16 and about 2 a. m. the following morning Norman and Curley were arrested at New Boston, where they were found trying to repair an automobile in which they were traveling, and in the automobile was found the whiskey in question. The identity of this whiskey was conclusively established by the evidence. There was also strong evidence tending to show that the automobile had been at or near the Stevens home during the night of Jan. 16, the identity of the machine being established by the tracks it made. The accused men attempted to explain their possession of the whiskey by claiming they had purchased it from one Floyd Herrick, which was denied by Herrick, who was jointly indicted with them.

Commenting on this phase of the case the upper courts say "Their story of the transaction with Herrick is lacking in the most simple and ordinary details which usually accompany a transaction of that character. It is very difficult to believe the claim of Norman that he bought the whiskey and paid for it in cash amounting to more than a thousand dollars."

The defendants were represented by Attorney A. R. Johnson, Ironton and Prosecutor George W. Sheppard and Judge A. Z. Blair for the state.

The case affirmed was that of the McClintic-Marshall company against Sheridan-Kirk Contract company. This case grew out of the loss of a barge with the McClintock-Marshall company had leased from the defendant company while engaged in building the C. and O. railroad bridge over the Ohio river at Sciotoville. On Jan. 20, 1917, the barge in question was anchored on the bank of the Little Scioto at a pier located a few hundred feet above the mouth of that stream. At the time the river was frozen over, but on the next day the weather became warmer; rain fell, raising the river, breaking and tearing out the ice in a very sudden manner and taking with it the barge which sank in the Ohio river and was never recovered. The Sheridan-Kirk company in its cross petition charged that negligence resulted in the loss of the barge but this was denied. When the barge sank it contained four steel girders.

The verdict of the jury was in favor of the bridge company and which is now affirmed.

Attorney Mark Crawford for plaintiff and Attorneys Blair and Blair for defendant.

Senate Passes War Finance

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Those voting to sustain the president's veto were Elkins and Sutherland, of West Virginia, and Keys, of New Hampshire, Republicans, and Gerry, of Rhode Island, and Thomas, Colorado, Democrats. Senator Penrose, Republican, of Pennsylvania, announced he was paired on the question, but that if he could vote, he would vote to sustain the president. Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, made a similar announcement.

President Wilson's message vetoing the Gronna resolution to revive the war finance corporation follows:

"To the Senate of the United States:

"I am returning without my signature, S. J. res 212, "joint resolution directing the war finance corporation to take certain action for the relief of the present depression in the agricultural sections of the country, and for other purposes."

"The joint resolution directs the revival of the activities of the war finance corporation. This corporation is a governmental agency, its capital stock is owned entirely by the United States. It was created during hostilities for war purposes. The temporary powers which it is now proposed to revive were conferred in March, 1919, to assist if necessary in the financing of exports. The general powers of the corporation expire six months after the termination of the war, and the special powers with respect to the financing of exports expire one year after the termination of the war. While we are technically still in a state of war, it unquestionably was presumed when this added power was granted that peace would have been formally proclaimed before this time and that the limitation of one year would have expired.

"In May, 1920, in view of the fact that export trade had not been interrupted, but had greatly expanded, and that exports were being privately financed in large volume, the war finance corporation at the request of the secretary of the treasury and with my approval, suspended the making of advances.

"This resolution was passed by the congress apparently in view of the recent considerable fall in prices, especially of agricultural commodities, with the thought that some European countries to which certain products were customarily shipped before the war, might again be enabled to resume their importation, and that larger masses of domestic exports to European countries generally might be stimulated, with the resulting enhancement of domestic prices. I am in full sympathy with every sound proposal to promote foreign trade along sound business lines. I am not convinced that the method proposed is wise, that the benefits, if any, would offset the evils which would result or that the same or larger advantages can not be secured without resort to government intervention. On the contrary, I apprehend that the resumption of the corporation's activities at this time would exert no beneficial influence on the situation in which improvement is sought, would raise false hopes among the very people who would expect most, and would be hurtful to the natural and orderly processes of business and finance.

"Large government credits were extended during the war to certain European governments associated with us in the struggle. These ceased several months after the armistice, except for several commitments already made. They should not now be resumed either directly or indirectly. The recent Brussels conference, composed of experts from many European countries and from other nations, itself expressed the opinion that further credits should not be accorded directly by governments. I do not believe that they should be accorded indirectly.

"Exports of domestic products have not declined since the armistice. On the contrary, they have greatly increased. From an aggregate value before the war of less than two and one-half billions of dollars and of about six billions the last year of hostilities, they rose in the calendar year 1919, to more than $7,900,000,000 and this figure will probably be exceeded for the last calendar year. For the first 11 months of the last calendar year, we exported more than seven and one-half billion dollars worth of domestic merchandise. These have been largely privately financed. The difficulty in the way of still larger exports does not seem to lie so much in the lack of financial ability here as in Europe's lack of means to make payment. Her productive energies and the services which she renders have not yet reached a point where they balance the value of commodities taken from this nation, and her ability to furnish for additional exports securities which business men would feel justified in taken, is restricted. Experts of the Brussels conference reported that "one of the chief obstacles to the granting of credit is the absence in borrowing countries of sufficient securities for ultimate repayment." Until this obstacle is removed it is difficult to see how materially larger exports to Europe are to be made even if exporters, aided or unaided by government finance, stand ready to do their part. It is remarkable that Europe is able to make an effective demand for as large a volume of our goods as she is making. It is gratifying evidence of her recovery and progress towards full production and sounder financial conditions.

"Under the law if the activities of the corporation were resumed, no direct advances could be made to producers and, if they could be, they would not accomplish the objects in view. They would not create demand for our products. They could be made only to exporters or to banks engaged in financing experts and if they did in some measure stimulate exports they would probably not have the effect apparently most desired of substantially increasing those of agricultural commodities.

"Already with the larger volume of exports which Europe is taking from us, she is exercising her option, such as meats, presumably because she herself has become more largely self-sufficient, or is again providing herself with supplies from distant countries which, with the opening up of shipping since the armistice, have once more found their place in the markets of the world.

"It is highly probable that the most immediate and conspicuous effect of the resumption of the corporation's activities would be an effort on the part of exporters to shift the financing of their operations from ordanary commercial channels to the government. This would be unfortunate. It would continue the government as an active factor in ordinary business operations. If activities of any considerable magnitude resulted they would necessitate the imposition of additional taxes or further borrowing, either through the war finance corporation or by the treasury. In either case new burdens would be laid upon all the people. Further borrowing would in all likelihood tap the very sources which might otherwise be available for private operations or which the treasury is now compelled to reach to meet current obligations of the government. There is no question that the borrowing of the government should be limited to the minimum requirements, and that the government should not be called upon further to finance private business at public expense. To the extent that Europe is able to furnish additional securities, private financial institutions here will doubtless find means of giving the necessary accommodation. The way has been opened for added legitimate efforts to promote foreign trade. Financial agencies in aid of exports, privately financed, have already been planned to operate under the act approved December 24, 1919, authorizing the organization of banking corporations to do foreign banking business. One corporation has been organized in the south and a second of larger scope is in course of development. These agencies may be expected to act as promptly and as liberally and helpfully as sound business conditions will permit. Through reliance of such enterprises, rather than through government intervention, may we expect to secure a return to stable business relations. For many months there has been a demand that war agencies should be abolished and that there should be less government interference with business. I have sympathized with this view, and believe that it is applicable to foreign trade as well as to domestic business. I am of the opinion that now, more than two years after the armistice, the nation should resume its usual business methods and return to its reliance on the initiative, intelligence and ability of its business leaders and financial institutions.

"We shall not witness an immediate satisfactory adjustment of domestic and international trade relations. The burdens of war are not lifted when the fighting ceases. One sad thing about war is that it leaves behind it a legacy of economic ills and of suffering from which there is no escape. Conditions, however, are improving both here and abroad. The difficulties with which we are now confronted are of small consequence in comparison with those we have met and overcome. Fuller restoration awaits the adoption of constructive measures of large consequence; the secure establishment of a just peace in the world; the cessation of fighting everywhere; the more complete resumption in Europe of the normal courses of industry; the return of her people to sounder fiscal and banking policies, and the breaking down within her borders of harmful restrictions.

(Signed)

"WOODROW WILSON.

"The White House.

"January 3, 1921."

MISS DOLLY WISE

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—Can any one who wishes, rent a box at the postoffice? How do you rent one, by the month or year, or for as long as you want to rent one? - WANT TO KNOW.

If you can give a satisfactory reason why you do not want your mail delivered to your home or rooming house, you can rent a box at the post office. Apply at the money order window. You pay for a box quarterly or every three months in advance. The price is $1.00 for three months.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl 16 years of age and loved a boy 16 years of age and am coming to you to know how to win his love back, and he used to write me letters, and I love him but he don't me, and please tell me what you would do about it.

A WANT TO KNOW.

I wouldn't do anything about it. If you took every chance but one, you couldn't win him if he doesn't want you.

Dear Dolly—Do you think a man who has two children should marry a girl who would be good to his children, even if he doesn't love her? He says he does not like the girl but he likes her disposition. I am afraid he is going to marry her just to have some one to take care of his children. He is a good man and won't be happy with her. ANXIOUS READER.

I think the mans knows what he is doing. It he is a good man and is willing to sacrifice his own happiness for the sake of his children, he will manage to get along all right with his new wife—that is if the neighbors and busy-bodies, don't make trouble for him. I think it better for a man to marry a woman who will be good to his children, even if he isn't crazy about her, than to marry one he loved who would mistreat his little ones. He can take care of himself, but the children are at the mercy of their stepmother.

Dear Miss Wise—Is it a disgrace for a girl to act like a Tom-boy?

ANXIOUS KID.

It depends on what you call "tomboy acts." It is no disgrace for a young girl to play and romp and enjoy herself, providing she does not turn handsprings or climb a telegraph pole.

Dear Miss Wise—I am troubled with a young growth of hair on my face. Will you please print in your space in the Times a way of getting rid of it.

JANE RUSTLE.

Most every one has a few "downs" on their face. If you keep them smoothed down they won't be noticed. There are hair removers on the market but it generally come in heavier after tying to remove it.

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Dear Miss Wise—I am one of the unfortunates seeking relief from a nagging wife. I am a good provider and worked every day until I was laid off. Now my wife thinks I shouldn't step out of the house, and if I do go, when I come back she nags me nearly to death. If I go to a show she thinks I ought to come home right away. I sometimes meet an old friend and we stop and talk or I may drop into the Play House or Smoke House for a few minutes, and then when I get home, well Jiggs hasn't anything on me when it comes to being henpecked and Maggie hasn't anything on my wife when it comes to nagging her husband. She accuses me of things I am not guilty of because I like to get out once in awhile with other people. Dolly, I get so disgusted with so much nagging that I don't know what to do. If it wasn't for my children I would leave and never come back. Please help me and my fellow henpecked husbands out.

A HUSBAND WHO IS NAGGED.

I should think your wife would be glad to get rid of you for awhile. Helpless men are an awful nuisance around the house at times. I heard a woman say the other day that she would be glad when the mill started as her man was "getting on her nerves sticking around the house all the time." Another one said she tried to chase her man down street but he wouldn't go. Your wife must think lots of you when she doesn't want you out of her sight. Don't get mad at what she says. Just try a new plan, stick around and kid her along and she'll soon get so disgusted with you she'll be chasing you out of the house with a broom.

Dear Dolly—I am a reader of your column and think it a great help to the readers of the Times. I work in the shoe factory and only make a small salary. I haven't any bank account as it seems like it takes all I make for a living. Kind of discouraging, isn't it, Dolly? Sometimes I think of leaving the city for good. I would like to be a cowboy. I am 26 years of age and there is no money here. Is it civilized out there, and where could I get a transfer at. I will appreciate any information leading to the above.

A ROUGNECK.

You couldn't do any better out West than you can here. Work is scarce everywhere just now, but better times are ahead of us. Stick to the job you have until things begin to boom, and then try for something better. If you are not making good at what you are doing, you owe it to yourself to look for a better job, or one that will eventually amount to something. I don't think it would be advisable for you to roam around over the west looking for a job as a cowboy. There's no future in a job like that even if you found one.

Dear Miss Wise—What do you think of a girl who will accept and wear a ring from a fellow other than the one she is engaged to marry? Do you think she is honorable, and do you think she would make a faithful wife? I spend lots of money on her.

WANT-TO-KNOW.

The girl lacks honor if what you say is true. Unless she returns the ring and stops going with other men I would not advise you to marry her. Surely you do not want a faithless wife. She may care for you because of the money you spend on her, but she seems to be "working" the other fellow too.

POOR GIRL—I don't believe the leader of the Society said what you told me. Why don't you go to her yourself and ask her? If she is the kind of a leader I think she is, she will give you some of her extra clothes and encourage you to attend all the meetings.

SOCIETY

Oakes Duduit has returned to O. S. U., Columbus, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Duduit of Second street.

Miss Neva Copley of Third street is spending a few days with Mrs. Howard Shuff of Ashland, Ky.

Miss Helen Lewis, an employe of the Drew Shoe Co., has returned from Lima, where she visited during the holidays with relatives and friends.

Ray Brothers of Oakland avenue is home from Ironton, where he visited a few days with relatives.

Mrs. C. D. Emmons of Huntington is here for a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Williams, of Hutchins street.

Miss Clara Cropper returned to Athens to resume her studies at Ohio University and take up her work with the Athens Messenger.

James Breece of Eighth street has returned from Cambridge, where he attended the wedding of Miss Florence Riley and Mr. Harold Shumway, which took place on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gordon and two children of this city spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wallace of Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Robinson have returned to Ironton after a short visit to relatives in Wheelersburg.

Miss Julia Hayes of this city visited friends in Ironton New Year's Day.

Miss Mildred Fewkes of Fourth street has returned from Massillon, O., where she spent the holidays with her parents, who recently moved there from Sciotoville.

Mt. Olive Shrine, No. 2, of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem will have the annual inspection Friday, January 7, in the old Elks' Hall, at 60 East Main street, Columbus. Dinner will be served at 6 o'clock. All Portsmouth members of the shrine are cordially invited to be present.

Meet me at Nye's fountain. tf

Mrs. P. F. Hewitt and daughter, Mrs. Thelma Bostwick and son, Billy Jr., of Front street are spending this week with relatives in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Shy of 1218 North avenue, entertained at dinner New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Vulgamore and son, Gene of Toledo and Mr. and Mrs. Vulgamore and son, Herbert of Gallia street.

Miss May Pierce of Greenup is the guest of relatives and friends in Russell, Ky.

—Mrs. Marshal Webb of Greenup has returned from a visit to relatives in Russell, Ky.

Mrs. Jane Massie of Ironton spent New Year's Day with Portsmouth relatives and friends.

The Joseph Spencer Chapter, D. A. R., will be entertained for a Kensington this evening at 7:30, in the home of Miss Louise Dinsmore, 1729 Franklin avenue.

An initiation of candidates will be held at the meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star on Tuesday evening at 7:30, in the Masonic Temple.

At 2:30 on Tuesday afternoon, the Parish Aid Society of All Saints' church will meet in the home of Miss Margaret Firnstone on Fourth street.

Miss Grace Fry of Logan street will receive the members of the Clio Club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. N. B. Griffin and Miss Edith Fulton will be hostesses of the Clover Club meeting on Tuesday evening at Miss Griffin's home in the Bayerl apartments.

After a week-end visit with local friends, Miss Madeline Baird returned to her home in Columbus this morning.

Second Presbyterian church boasts of the largest Westminster Circle in the United States, and added to this honor, comes news from headquarters, that the church also has the largest Intermediate Endeavor Society in the United States. Considering the fact that the society was organized last fall, this is attaining the goal quickly. The success of the society is due to the leadership of John Lloyd and his assistant, Miss Pearle Eichelberger.

Misses Gertrude Davidson and Gertrude Schmidt left Sunday for Columbus, where they are supervisors of music in the schools, after visiting here for the holidays with relatives.

(Irontonian)

A very pretty but quiet wedding took place yesterday morning at eleven o'clock at the home of Rev. W. H. Hampton, when Miss Pearl Ecker and Mr. Elmer Hatfield were united in marriage in the presence of a number of friends and relatives by Rev. Hampton, the Episcopal ring service being used. Shortly before the wedding ceremony, Mrs. C. P. Mittendorf sang very sweetly a couple of songs. Miss Barbara Kerns then played the bridal march from Lohengrin. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Clarke and Miss Hinds, a sister of the bride. Immediately after the marriage ceremony the bride and groom went to the Hotel Marting, where a most elegant wedding breakfast in all its appointments was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haggerty of Portsmouth were the New Year's guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haggerty of South Fourth street.

Miss Elizabeth Doty will return Tuesday to resume her studies at Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gates spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kugelman of Portsmouth.

Miss Katherine Hall of Second street returned last evening from Cambridge, where on Saturday she attended the wedding of Miss Florence Riley and Mr. Harold Shumway, acting as maid of honor. Miss Hall, with Miss Helen Dawson, also a member of the wedding party, spent the week-end with Miss Dawson's sister, Mrs. Dana Chappelear, in Zanesville. Miss Dawson has returned to Cincinnati to resume her duties in the Christ Hospital training school for nurses. Miss Thelma Rickey and Miss Edna Hauck, other members of the party, are visiting in Columbus, Miss Rickey later going to Delaware to return to O. W. U.

Mrs. W. B. Altsman and son, Varner, of Lincoln street, are planning to leave about the fifteenth for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will spend two months.

Miss Muriel Hanes has returned to this city after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hanes, of South Webster.

Mr. and rMs. Edward Sly and daughter, Dorothy, of Scioto Trail, entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Menk and sons, Roy, Homer and Russell, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Milhuff and daughter, Miss Gladys Milhuff.

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Your Manners

IT IS CORRECT

For a gentleman when attempting to enter a car at the same time as a lady to draw aside and let her enter first.

For a gentleman escorting a lady to a train to tip the porter who carries her bags.

For a gentleman escorting a lady aboard a train to dispose of her belongings in the racks and under the seat and make her as comfortable as he can before he leaves the train.

For a gentleman escorting a lady to a train to check her baggage.

For a gentleman seated with a lady in a train to give her the seat next the window.

IT IS NOT CORRECT

To throw coats and wraps over the back of a seat in a train in such manner that they will be in the way of other passengers.

To distribute one's belongings over the seats in trains.

For a passenger in a train to move up and down the aisle and in and out of the car an unnecessary number of times.

To show undue interest in fellow passengers in the seats behind your own in a passenger train.

The Loyal Bereans of the Grandview Avenue Christian church will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. O. H. Gast, 2127 Robinson avenue. Those composing the committee are Rev. Gast, Fred Holland and Lee Ferguson. A good time and delicious "eats" promised for all. All members please take notice.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Rupert of Scioto Trail have returned from Chillicothe, where they attended a banquet and dance at the Elks' Club. While there Mr. Rupert inspected the U. C. T. Council.

Mr. Clemens Yost, teacher in the Brooklyn, N. Y., High School, has returned to his duties, having spent the holiday week with his sisters and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zoellner, Miss Eleanor Yost, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Applegate and other relatives.

Miss Fern Curry Wheeler left today for Denison University, Granville, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Fred Arrigoni, of Grandview avenue and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Applegate of Kinney's Lane have returned home from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

Don't forget the "Evening with George Elliott" at Bigelow church next Friday evening at 7:30.

Miss Helen Carmichael of Gallia street is visiting in South Webster for a few days.

Mrs. Lawrence Wills and children of Jackson are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wills on Prospect street.

Miss Ruth Klingman of Fourth street will return home this evening after a visit with relatives in Chicago and Monmouth, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laconey have returned to their home in Columbus after a holiday visit to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herzog of Walnut street, East Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Fuller of Marietta will arrive here this evening to visit for a few days with their brother, Mr. A. J. Fuller, of Fourth street, enroute to Hot Springs, Ark., where they will spend sometime.

Miss Christine Selby, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Selby, will leave Tuesday morning for Miss Wright's School at Bryn Mawr, Pa., and will be accompanied as far as Columbus by her father.

After a visit with Miss Emma Gilbert of Waller street, Mrs. Lawrence Minego of Findlay street and other friends here, little Miss Edith May Sperry returned to the Ohio State School for the Blind at Columbus this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Minego, who will return home this evening.

Mrs. Theo Bauer of 1619 Grandview avenue will entertain the Merry Twelve Club on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Altsman of Lincoln street has returned from a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Harvey of Huntington.

Mrs. George Wilson, who has been quite ill at her home on John and Seventh street, is much improved.

Mrs. John Parker and Miss Grace Young of Third street have returned from Cincinnati, where they accompanied Mrs. Chris Young, who has gone to Miami, Fla., where she will visit until spring with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clark.

Miss Edith McIlvane returned today to her home in Flemingsburg, Ky., after a visit with Miss Mary Margaret Fuller of Fourth street.

Mrs. Elmer Linville has gone to her home at Mt. Olivet, Ky., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Cooper of Eighth street.

BILLY WHISKERS

By Frances Trego Montgomery

"This is very queer. I thought we were in a large building. But this seems to twist and turn and twist in a 'most bewildering and aggravating manner," thought Billy, as he pushed rapidly forward through a narrow hallway ahead of the German woman. "I begin to think Mrs. Treat's saying that 'things are not always what they seem,' is pretty true. Oh, me, what is this?"

Billy was treading on something that swayed and rolled and pitched beneath him like the billows of an angry boistrous sea and, indeed, he felt much like an inexperienced sailor on his maiden voyage who has not yet found his sea legs.

"I—I—don't like—this—buffeting. Wish—I was—well—out of this! My stomach feels—too—shaky—for—comfort," and in his eagerness to secure a stable footing, he made for the wall, lifting his fore feet very high and planting them very carefully and very firmly, trying to feel his way in the midnight blackness. At last he found the wall, or at least what he judged to be the wall, but it swayed away from him as he leaned against it for support, and the pitching and rolling and tumbling grew worse minute by minute.

"A most provoking place, and I don't see why anyone would pay a dime to get into such a fix," he mumbled. "Wonder where the old lady is, and how she is enjoying her sea voyage. This is worse than crossing the stormy Atlantic"

Standing still brought no relief, and so Billy determined to forge ahead, and he resumed his perilous journey with a few excited bleats. Frightened cries from the front and rear followed. Billy repeated his bleating and wilder grew the commotion.

"It is as dark as a dungeon in here, or else I would certainly face about and make for outdoors in double quick time. But as it is, I must go on. If I collided with anyone, it might prove the undoing of both of us, and I for one am not ready to end my career. I've just enough ginger left in me to want to see what lies at the end of all this."

"Come to think of it, this must be the 'unusual experience' foretold by the Magic Pen," and Billy's legs began to shake and his chin whiskers to tremble at fear of the unknown.

"I'm not real sure but that I want to turn back and——" but as he came to this conclusion he turned a corner in the labyrinth and emerged into a dazzle of light which blinded him for a minute after the Stygian darkness of the entrance way.

Halting to get his bearings and to take a general survey of the room, Billy found a wonderful fairyland spread out before him.

(Tomorrow Billy encounters the German woman again.)

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Concluding a holiday visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin of Tenth street, Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Murdock and children, Rexford and Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbur and daughter Naomi Ruth have returned home to Hamden. They were accompanied by Mrs. F. W. Wills and daughter, Helen Louise, of Prospect street.

Thomas Williams will leave tonight for Easton, Pa., to return to LaFayette University after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, of Second street.

Miss Alice Maifer of Fifth street has returned from a visit to college friends in Hamilton and Oxford, O.

Having been in the wedding party at the marriage of Miss Florence Riley and Mr. Harold Shumway, which took place New Year's Day, James Breece of Eighth street has returned home, and William Anderson has gone to O. W. U., delaware. Richard Anderson, who has been visiting with relatives during the holidays, has also returned to Delaware to resume school work at O. W. U.

Misses LeMoune Jackson and Karleene Johnson left today for O. S. U., Columbus, having concluded a holiday visit with home-folk.

The Catholic Order of Foresters have issued their schedules for card parties and dances the remainder of the winter, the first to be held Wednesday evening at Ben Hur hall with Journey's Orchestra furnishing the music.

A baby son was born on New Year's afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harsha (Imogene Matthews) of Sixth street.

The meeting of the First Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society, which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon, has been postponed until the last Tuesday in January when the December and January meetings will be combined. Mrs. N. W. Evans of Gallia street will be hostess at that time.

After a visit with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Lindenmeyer of Sixth street, Miss Thelma Lindenmeyer has gone to Delaware to resume her studies at O. W. U., Miss Irma Lindenmeyer has resumed her duties as supervisor of music in the Wilmington schools and Mr. Armin Lindenmeyer has returned to Miami University, Oxford.

SAILS IN QUEST OF NEW STYLES FOR MILLINERY

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Mrs. A. Mann, photographed on board ship.

Mrs. A. Mann, head of a fashionable millinery store in New York, sailed recently for Europe in quest of new fashions for hats to adorn the heads of New York's four hundred.

Miss Helen Nye left this morning for DePaw University at Greencastle, Ind., after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Win Nye, of Second street.

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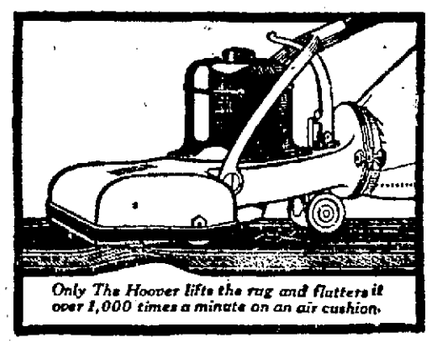

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LITTLE TIM AND HIS STUDIO

Gwenda said nothing in reply to Fern's chatter about John Neale, she was tired, and above all not inclined to confide in anyone concerning the flowers he had sent her, nor in fact about anything.

Once at little Tim's studio, they one and all fled to that young man's room to "doll up" a bit, before the rest of the crowd arrived.

Timothy Lanthrop was one of the most popular artists in the village. Not that he painted particularly well, but rather that he had the faculty for making and keeping friends, which is more precious than wealth and fame in Greenwich Village! Yea! "Little Tim," as he was fondly called by his cohorts, was in every sense of the word "one of the best." His parties were always riots, in every way. And his good humor was unlimited as well as unchanging.

Red-headed with dancing eyes, and perfectly happy, he stood welcoming his pals, as they arrived. Tim's studio was large and a delight to the eye, as well as the senses. He went in heavily for violent, yet appealing colors. The walls of the studio were a lemon yellow, and purple silk curtains plus a purple rug helped matters wonderfully, as far as Tim's taste was concerned. But the piece de resistance in the eyes of all was the low (just off the ground) and comfy divan-sent-affair that Timothy had designed and executed which ran all around the room, softly padded with a cushioning of lilac and gold. It was always heaped up with many vari-colored cushions. This was the pride of the place. It had also proven the solution of the seating problem, for no one ever had to grumble about not having a place to sit down on at little Tim's.

Another point in Timmy's favor was that he never objected to anything. One could wander in to his domicile at any hour of the day or night, drink his drinks, consume what food was in his ice box, even to the last crumb of chicken, when chicken was there! Play his victrola to death, recline anywhere, without fear of rebuff. And joy of joys, true test of ye genuine host, smoke cigarettes galore and put the ashes on any part of the floor. Such a man was Timothy Lanthrop. Small wonder that he was popular.

Tonight he had invited his nearest and dearest together to dance and enjoy a new and delicate stock of goodies, liquid and otherwise, under his hospitable roof.

By twelve-thirty the fun had commenced. Couples were becoming hilarious, and many were on the floor, trying out the wildest of new dance steps. Everyone was happy!

(To be continued).

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Combs and children of Ninth street entertained at dinner on New Year's Day Mrs. Rosa Combs and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wolfe of Grandview avenue.

The Art Circle will be entertained Thursday of this week with Mrs. S. R. Crawford of Franklin avenue as hostess. The regular meeting to be held the following Thursday, January 13, will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert Marting on Eighth street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lucasville M. E. church will have a social meeting with a passing party Thursday afternoon at 1:30 at the home of Mrs. James Appel at Clifford, with Mrs. George Appel assisting. The gifts are not to exceed twenty-five cents in value.

Miss Florence Thomas of Lucasville is visiting in Gallipolis with relatives.

Harold Reinhard will leave Tuesday for Marietta Medical College, Marietta, having visited with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Reinhard, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Montavon and family were guests at New Year's dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Gerlach on Fourth street.

Mrs. R. D. York of Fifth street spent today in Columbus and will return this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gerlach of Fourth street have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Maximilian Misch and family of Cleveland and with Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Gerlach of Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Earp of Chillicothe street have returned from Huntington, where they spent the holidays with relatives.

The Misses Edith and Ethel Scherer have returned to their home in Ironton after a visit to Miss Muriel Nourot of Eleventh street.

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Will Buy A Candy Store

Chris and Charley Malavazos are making a business trip through West Virginia with a view of buying a confectionery store for Charley, who recently returned here from Greece.

Seriously Ill

James A. Kirby, a well-known contractor, continues seriously ill at his home on Fourth street.

In West Union

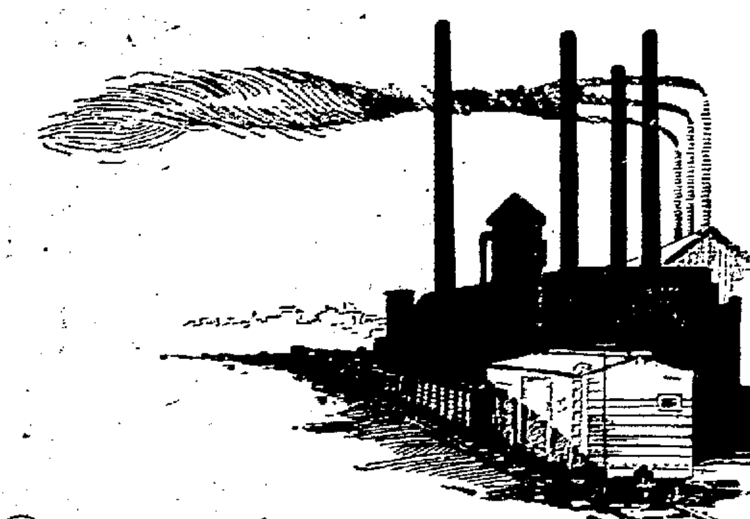
Judge A. Z. Blair is in West Union on legal business.

Boiling, but No Steam.

The Quaker's habit of calm sometimes deceives onlookers as to his real feelings. There was an occasion on which a certain Philadelphia Quaker's countenance aroused resentment in the heart of her niece, one of the "world's people." "I don't see," said the niece, "how you can sit there, Aunt Abigail, and hear that man talk and never look as if you cared. There I was boiling at the utterances of that unprincipled man, and not even so much as one of your cap ruffles stirred." "If thee could see far enough below the cap ruffles," replied Aunt Abigail sedately, "thee would have seen that I was boiling also, but without steam, my child."

Queer Siamese Customs.

The Siamese believe that the arteries are filled with air, and that diseases are caused by deranged functioning of this air. After the birth of a child the mother has to lie 30 days roastin in front of a hot fire. When a man gets sick he calls in a doctor and agrees with him on a fixed sum for a cure. If he dies, or fails to get well, the doctor gets nothing. The dead are kept for from two days to nine months, depending on their rank in life, before they are cremated. The Siamese language is a difficult tongue for a European to learn, as it has five tones. The alphabet has 44 characters and 20 vowel signs.



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Governor Cox In Message

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the period of compensation for specific injuries, that the industrial commission should have the right to cancel the authority of any employer to carry his own risk; a graduated schedule of attorney's fees where injured workmen are compelled to appeal to the courts, and fixing the maximum weekly compensation at $18 instead of $12.

Completion of the project of building a new institution for the feeble-minded was strongly urged by the governor. In this connection he pointed out that seventy to eighty percent of the prisoners in the penitentiary are of sub-normal mentality and used this in his argument against abolishing the indeterminate sentence law and the state board of clemency.

"Under the recent crime wave," said the governor, "criminal practices have been profitable and attempt to break down an honest system devised for the protection of society must not be covered with a mask of deception."

Favors Co-operation In Marketing

Enlargement of the state bureau of markets and state co-operation in marketing problems, recommended to the previous general assembly but not acted upon, is again urged by the governor. Purchase of additional land for farming purposes by state institutions is urged. The suggestion is made that the Marysville reformatory for women be abandoned as a reformatory and transferred to the state institution for the deaf and that the institution for the deaf now located in the heart of Columbus be converted into office buildings for state departments.

Development of the rural schools of Ohio under the new school code is reviewed by the governor's message and two changes in the code are suggested. One is that the compulsory attendance law be strengthened and the other that provision be made for physical training.

Ohio's system of public health administration is praised by the governor and recommendation made for strengthening the laws regulating public water supplies and requiring analysis of the water supply in municipalities twice a week as a guard against typhoid.

A special plea is made in the governor's message for extension of the college of commerce and journalism at Ohio State University and erection of a new home for the president of the university, is suggested.

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Legislatures In 45 States

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matter of Sunday games, will be sought. New Hampshire, Pennsylvania and South Dakota are also expected to discuss anti-blue laws. California, meanwhile, will argue the merits or demerits of a Sunday closing bill.

Reorganization of the state judiciary system and a constitutional amendment proposing that none but "American citizens, native or fully naturalized, be allowed the right of suffrage in Texas" will be before the law-making body at Austin, Texas, beginning January 11. Another Texas bill would exclude Orientals from acquiring land within the state. Kansas representatives will have bills before them providing state aid for highway construction and financial assistance to farmers in purchasing homes.

Face Marital and Criminal Laws

Capital punishment, as a result of legal discussion over the [illegible] murder case, will confront the Nebraska legislature and West Virginia will act on proposals to abolish private detective agencies. The last named state also will consider amendments to laws relating marriage [illegible] to make non-support an extraditable offence. California legislators once again will be called upon to consider the [illegible] of 1919, which was designed to place a wife on an equality with her husband and which was defeated last fall.

Many states will be confronted with the problem of raising funds to pay soldiers' bonuses voted at the last election. South Dakota is pledged to obtain $6,000,000; Montana legislators will vote on the question of a bonus for 40,000 ex-service men; Delaware lawmakers will take a similar vote; Connecticut must raise $2,700,000 for soldier relief; New Hampshire, in addition to a bonus, may exempt veterans property from taxation up to $500 value; Iowa solons at the legislative session beginning January 10, also will consider a soldiers' bonus bill.

Other Public Questions By States

Other public questions, as given below, will be considered by the legislatures of the following states:

Arkansas—Abolition of several state commissions, proposed by Governor-elect McRae, is expected to precipitate a bitter fight. State Board of Health will ask a one mill tax to maintain trained personnel in every county. Educational program, including farm extension, will be advocated.

California—Drastic prohibition enforcement act, passed in 1919, and defeated by referendum at last election, will be re-introduced. A bill to prohibit use of injunctions in strikes has the support of labor. School laws affecting Japanese may be revised.

Connecticut—Future of the electric car lines of state owned by the Connecticut Company, now in hands of federal trustees, is most pressing problem. Company owes millions in taxes and asks state aid to operate. Forestry, motor regulation and excise measures next in importance.

Colorado—"Blue sky" mining and oil stock legislation and improved marketing facilities for farmers are measures recommended for action by Governor Shoup. State constitution, adopted 45 years ago, may be revised. Movement to vest state government in hands of "directors" headed by governor.

Delaware—State school laws up for amendment and revision. Various boards and commissions, aggregating 131, may be consolidated and coordinated. Commission form of government urged for Wilmington. Child labor and minimum wage laws in prospect.

Free Text Books For Schools

Indiana—Budget system and tax legislation are important topics. Lawmakers will consider providing free text books for public schools and authorizing cities to establish the "commission" or "city manager" plan of government.

Iowa—How to increase the state's revenue will be an important problem. Joint legislative code revision and [illegible] Legislation will also receive attention at the session which opens on January 10.

Kansas—Two constitutional amendments approved at polls last November [illegible] providing state aid for county roads and for farmers will be taken up at the session opening January 11. [illegible]

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Massachusetts—Increased teachers' salaries is important issue. Plan to [illegible]

Maine—Water power resources and transportation problems as well as [illegible]

Michigan — Republican legislature, the first in years in which no Democrat is seated, will open next Wednesday to consider, among other things, re-organization of state departments and budgets of state institutions.

Montana—Farmer bills already prepared for consideration provide a warehouse receipts act, under which banks would be authorized to make loans on crops in storage. Sportsmen are backing a bill to prevent the killing of gophers with poison on the ground that game is being sacrificed.

Missouri—Amendment or repeal of state income tax law and state corporation franchise tax law are important subjects that will engross the attention of the legislature. Workmen's compensation and a budget system are other problems of moment.

North Dakota—Good roads legislation and the controversy over state-owned institutions will be the chief subjects at this session between Non-Partisan Leaguers and their opponents.

Tax Relief To Be Taken Up

New Hampshire—Effort will be made to legalize Sunday sports that are not conducted for profit and that do not tend "to the disturbance of others." Resubmission to people of income and inheritance tax amendments, rejected November 2, urged to provide new needed revenue.

Nevada—Increased salaries for rural school teachers and tax relief for mining and agriculture are important proposals. Standardization of motor licenses to provide funds for a great road-building project will be discussed. Women to take more active part in state administration.

New York—New efforts will be pressed to pass laws to alleviate housing situation. Referendum on literacy test for new voters in contemplation. Dry enforcement legislation favored by Governor Miller. Restoration of party nominating conventions for state and judicial offices urged.

New Mexico — Sweeping changes sought in state's taxation and assessment, centralizing it in a commission of three members. Abolition of State Corporation Commission, the mounted police force and the State Insurance Commissioner also advocated. Land office may be reorganized under commission of three.

North Carolina—Expansion of present State Highway Commission to supervise construction of hard-surfaced highway 5,500 miles in length will be important topic. Methodists campaign for "blue laws" include stoppage of Sunday trains and Sunday newspapers.

To Combat Motor Car Thieves

Oklahoma—Fight by new members of legislature on the $20,000,000 appropriations estimated for state needs for the next two years will be the dominant issue before the house and senate in the session which opens tomorrow. Motor car thieves will be object of repressive measures.

Oregon—Harbor improvements, a $10,000,000 road building bond issue, establishment of a Boys' School Farm and a proposal to amend the Teachers' Tenure Laws abolishing the trial of teachers by school boards before dismissal, are to be discussed by the legislature which convenes on January 10.

Ohio—Dry forces, with an overwhelming majority in both houses, support enforcement amendments to the Crabbe prohibition act, which does not provide machinery for carrying out its provisions. Civic bodies recommend temporary suspension of the one per cent tax law.

Pennsylvania—State constitution, in force nearly 50 years, may be amended or revised. Commission to report on it. Bills to raise standard of public schools and to "liberalize" Sunday laws will come before the legislators.

South Dakota—Improvement of the state capitol, soldier bonuses and State University and other institutional needs require $15,697,882 appropriation the raising of which is biggest problem. Legislature also must determine where proposed hydro-electric plant is to be located, at Mulehead, Mobridge or some other site.

Texas—Road building reorganization of state departments, schools, health, sanitation and conservation of natural resources are legislative subjects which, in addition to taxation reform, will be discussed at the session opening on January 11.

Tennessee—Extension of the Dortsch election law to the entire state, a "same Sabbath" observance law and the application of a poll tax to women will be considered. The state Police Law, by which the governor can call out the militia, without red tape procedure and which was an issue in the recent campaign, is expected to remain.

West Virginia Has Busy Program

West Virginia—Biennial session which convenes January 15, will pass laws to make use of $50,000,000 road building bond issue voted at last election. Largely increased appropriations for public schools as well as the establishment of vocational schools for boys and girls and a system of mothers' pensions are other important topics.

Wyoming—Early in the session which opens January 11, a bill will be introduced allowing cities of the state to adopt the "city manager" form of government. Three cities desire to abandon the commission form. Laws dealing with irrigation, farming, stock raising, oil industries and public schools also will be discussed.

South Carolina—Tax reform will have the center of the legislative stage when the General Assembly meets on January 11. The recommendations of a legislative committee of inquiry providing for revaluation, the reduction of taxes on visible property and the imposing of taxes on incomes, businesses and [illegible], together with the development of other sources of revenue, will be considered.

Washington—Drastic jail sentences for liquor law violators, a $30,000,000 highway bond issue and consolidation of the governments of Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane with the counties in which they are located, are some of the proposals to be taken up by the legislature which convenes on January 10 for a 60-day session.

Arizona—Measures to be placed before the coming session are expected to include proposals for uniform warehouse receipts, bills of lading, proof of statutes through deposition and vital statistics. An act to curb "rent profiteers," similar to the New York law, is advocated by Governor Campbell.

HARDING BECOMES "FATHER OF COUNTRY" WHEN CARUSO SHOWS CARTOONING ABILITY

The photograph of Harding as "doctored" by Caruso.

Enrico Caruso, famous tenor, was struck with the similarity President-elect Harding bears to George Washington. Caruso is considered a clever cartoonist, and when he saw a recent photo of the new executive he "doctored" it with crayon into what is a remarkable likeness of "The Father of His Country."

Legislature Convenes

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asserted that "common honesty and plain speaking will do more to solve the ills of the country than all the patent legislation that may be enacted.

Most of the members had arrived and been sworn in before noon.

Lone Democrat In Senate

Senator James A. Reynolds, of Cuyahoga county, lone Democrat in the state senate, nominated himself for speaker pro tem of that body as the "unanimous choice of the minority" during the organization of the senate today. He created much amusement by his nominating speech. While receiving no second to his nomination, he received one vote, that of his successful opponent Senator Frank E. Whittemore of Summit county, choice of the Republican majority for floor leader. Reynolds voted for Whittemore and Whittemore returned the compliment.

Governor-elect Harry L. Davis was present for the opening of the eighty-fourth general assembly here today. He made brief calls on both the senate and house and was greeted with much applause. In the house Davis sat for a few minutes in one of the pages' chairs which he occupied as a page more than a quarter of a century ago.

The Republicans, unless they become divided among themselves, will have undisputed sway in both branches, in carrying out their legislative program. Out of a total of 125 house members, the Democrats have only 2, and of a total of 37 members of the senate, James A. Reynolds, of Cleveland, is the only Democrat. This is the largest majority by which either political party ever controlled the legislature.

Not only is the legislature overwhelmingly Republican, but it is rated as being "very dry" by dry leaders, who expect to encounter little or no trouble in getting through the sort of prohibition enforcement measures they desire. This was not true of the last assembly.

Little or no attention is expected to be given by the legislative leaders to Governor Cox's message. They will wait until after January 10, to begin formulation of administration laws, based upon recommendations of the incoming executive, Harry L. Davis. During the present week, the legislators will merely mark time, other than transacting routine business and preparing for the inauguration.

Towns With Aliases.

England possesses no such town as Hull, although one is usually called by that name. Hull is the name of the river, not the town, Kingston-on-Hull, which stands upon it. Salisbury is another town misnamed. New Sarum is the proper name of that ultra respectable cathedral city. Hatfield should be known as Bishop's Hatfield. Windsor is not the full cognomen of the royal town, but New Windsor and Portland should be called Isle of Portland. Some English counties, too, possess more than one name. Hampshire is usually termed Hants. Officially Hants is always known by the name of the County of Southampton. Bradford-by-the-Sea is another name for Morecambe, which should be known as Poulton-le-Sands; while Wakefield-by-the-Sea is another name for Bridlington. These are only a few of the many places that are known by aliases.—Montreal Herald.

Wise Advice for Employees.

Keep, if possible, your work done far enough ahead so that you can afford to take a few days off if, because of a slight illness, you need the rest that will prevent its becoming a serious one. Gain among your fellows and with your employer a reputation for steadiness and competence that will insure your job during a lull in business which necessitates the laying off of part of the force. Remember that while it is important to save money it is equally important to save energy and capacity, both of which have a money value. Dissipation, careless living, inattention to your work, all cut down your factor of safety, and make it more difficult for you to weather a storm.—John Blake, in Chicago Daily News.

Columbus Masons Buy Large Tract For New Temple

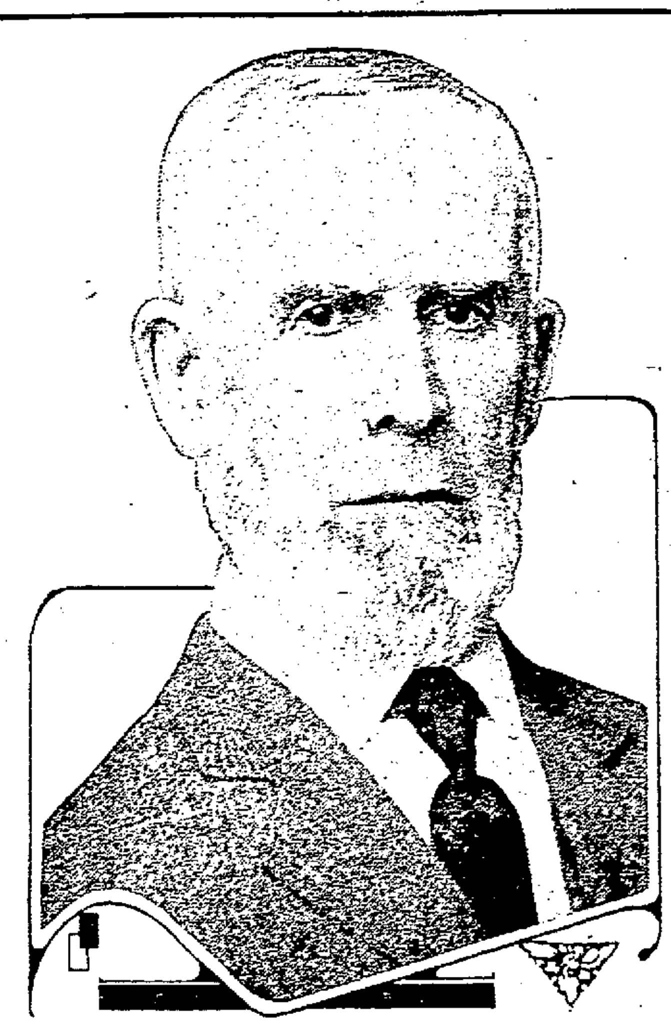
COLUMBUS, O., January 3.—Dreams of the much-talked-of Columbus civic center along the Scioto river in the central part of the city have reached the blue print and serious consideration stage. A step in the actual carrying out of the program was taken last week, when Columbus Masons closed options on 136,625 square feet of property between Long and Lynn streets which is to be the site of a large Masonic Temple and auditorium.

If the dreams become a reality, the section of Columbus between Long and Rich streets, west of Front, will be one of the most ideal civic centers of the kind to be found anywhere in the United States. Plans drawn by city engineers embrace two parks, new city hall, new federal building, new police station, new trade school, new state armory, new state office building, art museum, Masonic Temple and two boulevards, one on each side of the river.

Flowers Express Hope.

There are three flowers which send out the message of hope, remarks the Detroit News. One is the flowering almond and the others are the hawthorn and snowdrop. The flowering almond is a little shrub which grows from two to three feet in height and blooms in May. The color of the flower is a pinkish white. The petals are small and numerous, like the daisy or the chrysanthemum. The hawthorn is generally white, rose colored or sometimes deep crimson. It bears a small fruit with a yellow pulp. The leaf is similar to that of the oak and is cup shaped and spreads as it becomes mature. The hawthorn is often called "May" from the season of blooming in England, and it is also called whitethorn to distinguish it from the sloe, or blackthorn. The snowdrop is so called from the color of the flower. The root of the snowdrop produces two leaves and one single flower, which is bell shaped, and hangs like a bell or the Dutchman's breeches.

Quaker Minister Is Grateful To Tanlac



Rev. Parker Moon, Carthage, Missouri

Nearly everybody in Southwest Missouri either knows or has heard of the Rev. Parker Moon, who for a full half century has devoted his life and talents to Sunday school and organization work for the Society of Friends or Quakers. He resides at 625 Howard avenue, Carthage, Mo.

"Uncle Parker," as he is more familiarly known, came from fine old rugged Quaker stock, and there is not a better known or more highly respected citizen in that part of the state. Referring to his remarkable restoration to health by Tanlac he said:

"About five years ago I suffered a general breakdown. My principal trouble was nervous indigestion. My appetite was very poor and my food seldom agreed with me, and I had to live on a very restricted diet. I suffered a great deal from headaches and dizzy spells; I had severe pains across the small of my back and was badly constipated most of the time. In fact, I was so weak and rundown I was not able to attend to my duties.

"This condition made me very nervous and I could not sleep at night. Frequently I would lie awake most all night and was in that condition more or less for five years. My physician said he could not do anything for me and suggested a change of climate. I then moved to Texas and went back and forth three times but did not get the relief I had hoped for. Finally, I got so bad off I was not able to get around with any degree of comfort. I was also told I had heart trouble.

"I had read about Tanlac and, as it had been very highly recommended to me, I decided to try it. I got a bottle and had taken only a few doses until I could notice a marked improvement in my condition. I noticed especially that I was not troubled any more with sour stomach after eating, which was a great relief.

"I kept on taking Tanlac until I fully regained my health. My appetite is splendid. I enjoy my meals and I do not find it necessary now to take any laxative medicines of any kind. I can sleep much better and am not nearly so nervous.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Tanlac to anyone who needs a good system builder, or who suffers with stomach trouble. I have recommended Tanlac to a great many of my friends and am pleased to reach others by giving this statement for publication."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher and Streich Pharmacy and the leading druggists in every town.—Adv.

Oriental Peculiarities.

Chinese medicine developed a special fondness for fossilized "dragon bones," derived from extinct herbivora. They are also fond of "dragon teeth," as fossilized shells are called. In Shantung, glue is made from asses' skins. In a certain town of that province is a well, the water of which, when drunk by asses, makes their skins especially good for making glue. This glue brings a fancy price, as it is a famous tonic throughout China.

New Fishing Methods.

A Lamont man who is charged with having taken a fish from a private fish pond declares the fish were so tame that one of them was eating out of his hand, and he simply closed his fingers on it and carried it away. Our own method has always been to whistle to the creatures from across the fence, and walk away, innocent-like, while they trot down the road after us.—Detroit News.

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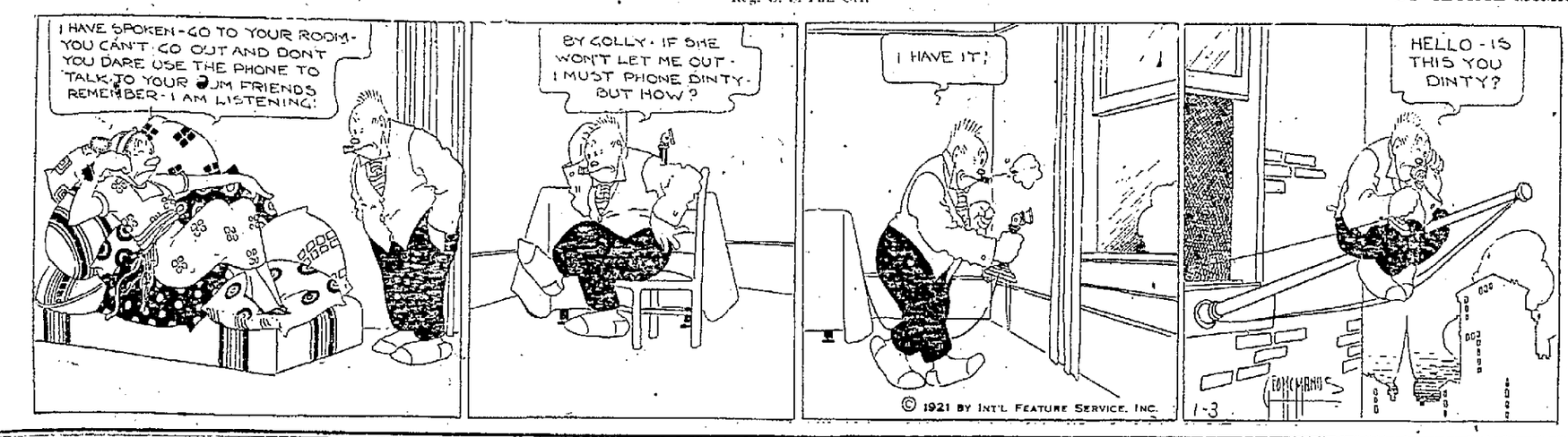

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As a mark of esteem in which they are held by their employes, W. B. Anderson, president of The Anderson Bros. company, was presented with a leather bag as a holiday gift, and W. W. Anderson was presented with a beautiful loving cup. Miss Sadie Farmer made the presentation speech to W. B. Anderson and Miss Agnes Cassidy to W. W. Anderson. The employes appreciate the shorter hours the firm has been giving them, and these handsome gifts placed their appreciation in concrete form.

CLASSY BOUTS ARE ARRANGED

The main boxers for the boxing bears to be held Friday night Jan. 14 at 8 o'clock in the hall at Market and Second streets have been secured by the local men in charge of the show to be given under the direction of the Marin Band and Amusement company.

Blockie Richards, the lightweight champion of Dayton will put on the gloves with Battling McManus of Detroit. They will mix it up for 12 rounds. Chuck Ryan of Cincinnati will match Tommy Gerry of Springfield in a ten round go, both weigh in at 135 pounds.

The third match will be an eight round affair between John Shoneffe'd of Akron and Lloyd Amick of Bucyrus.

There will also be two six round bouts between local boys.

Says Ohio State Was Beaten At Own Game

LOS ANGELES, CAL., January 3.—Grant P. Ward, head line coach for the Ohio State University football team in a signed article in the Los Angeles Times today says:

"Beaten at their own game, expresses the result of the California-Ohio State New Year's Day fray.

"The golden bears sprung a diversified attack that was not only more varied, but also had more punch than that exhibited by the Buckeyes. The golden bears possessed everything that good football team should have, including every variety of the forward pass attack, superb interference on end runs, and a line that could open up holes for short line plunges.

"It is doubtful if any team could have defeated California the way they played today."

PASADENA, CAL., January 3.—The Ohio State University football team, coaches and rooters left this morning for the East. They will visit the Grand Canyon tomorrow.

Wound Is Healing

Albert Bedoutey of Second and Sinton streets, who recently accidentally shot himself in the wrist while killing hogs on his farm near Wheelersburg, is considerably better, the wound healing nicely.

Back At Desk

After a week's vacation W. H. Bruch has returned to his work as chief clerk to Supt. H. C. Weller of this division of the N. & W.

City Council Will Hold A Busy Session Wednesday Night

The city council will hold an important meeting Wednesday night, as the gas question and the Scioto'ville annexation will be given a whirl. Safety Director Si Straus will also submit some interesting yearly reports. He says the city's fire loss the year just ended is the smallest in its history.

GAHM TO CONDUCT MEETINGS IN COUNTY

County Farm Agent Walter Gahm is conducting a series of meetings in various parts of the county this week. At these meetings there will be formulated programs of work for that community. Also a live stock shipping director will be chosen to represent the community in the Livestock Marketing Association to be formed.

This Monday afternoon a meeting was held at Rarden. The other meetings are as follows: Tuesday afternoon, Otway; Nile Township, Wednesday afternoon; Thursday afternoon, Minford; Saturday afternoon, Lyra.

Stroke Fatal To Mr. Straus

Charles Straus, aged 56, a well-known tobacco and cigar dealer of Cincinnati, and who had many friends in Portsmouth, died at his home there Sunday, the result of a stroke of paralysis. He had been in his usual good health up to the fatal stroke.

Oh, Wily Man!

"I don't know whether I like these photos or not," said the young woman; "they seem rather indistinct." "But you must remember, madam, that your face is not at all plain."

BIRTHS

A son was born New Year's Day to Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Kirk of Wheelersburg. Rev. Kirk is the new pastor of the Wheelersburg M. E. church and recently came there from the Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

A son was born New Year's Day to Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Harsha of Seventh and Adams streets. Mrs. Harsha was formerly Miss Imogene Mathews.

STOMACH ON A STRIKE

"Pape's Diapepsin" puts Sour, Gassy, Acid Stomachs in order at once!

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in revolt; if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food—just eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin to help neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs so little at drug stores.—adv.

Will Go East To Buy Goods

Phil Wolff, who has been visiting friends in Cincinnati for several days, will arrive here tonight. He will go East shortly to buy goods.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. A. H. Hewitt of Sixth and Lincoln streets, who has been critically ill for several weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Ralph Denning of Front street is seriously ill with rheumatism.

E. F. Gilliland of Rhodes avenue, New Boston is quite ill with sciatica rheumatism.

Black Dogs Most Edible.

Among the Chinese a particular species of dog is reared for the table. The flesh of black dogs is preferred to that of animals of another color, on account of nutriment it is supposed to possess.

London Dog Market.

The well-known "dog market" in the East end of London is situated in the vicinity of Club row, where hundreds of venders can be seen every Sunday morning with dogs of all shapes, sizes and breeds, which they offer for sale.

McMillan Is Hit By Auto

C. M. McMillan, who lives at 1530 High street, was painfully injured Saturday when he was run down by an automobile driven by John Crow. The accident occurred on Lawson street and Mr. McMillan, who was riding his bicycle, was thrown against a telephone pole and his right eye was injured.

Auto Firm In New Home

The H. S. Howe Auto company has completed its moving to its handsome new garage at Sixth and Findlay streets. The building was erected by Charles Horr and the firm has taken a long term lease on it.

Former Pastor Filled Pulpit

Rev. Alfred F. Hughes, president of the Evansville College in Evansville, Ind., filled the pulpit of Bigelow M. E. church Sunday morning and the New Boston M. E. church Sunday evening. He is aformer pastor of Bigelow and stopped off here while on his way to New York to attend an important meeting of presidents of many colleges. Rev. Hughes is a brother of Rev. C. A. Hughes, pastor of the New Boston M. E. church.

Many Uses for Castor Oil.

We are accustomed to think of castor oil as a disagreeable medicine. This, however, is the least important of its uses, commercially speaking. One of the largest employments found for it is the making of transparent soaps. It also yields an acid utilized in the making of candles, and another acid which is an important ingredient of varnishes suitable for polishing furniture and carriage bodies. Castor oil is also used in the making of certain waterproof preparations. It is an essential component in some artificial rubbers, and in certain kinds of celluloid. From it is obtained the so-called "turkey red" oil so highly prized for the dyeing of cotton textiles. Most fly papers owe their effectiveness largely to the fact that the "tanglefoot" preparation smeared on them contains much castor oil.

He Should Worry.

He was a wise man that said that he hadn't time to worry. In the daytime he was too busy and at night he was too sleepy.—The Black and Magenta (New Concord, Ohio).

Tempered Cleanliness.

In the Lois de la Galanterie, written for beaux and dandies in 1640, it is urged that "Every day one should take pains to wash one's hands, and one should also wash one's face almost as often." Perhaps as often as twice a week?—Youth's Companion.

The Snail and the Screw.

It is no doubt true that nearly all human inventions have been suggested by natural objects. Fremont of the French School of Mines points out an interesting example in the case of the screw, the fundamental idea of which, he believes, was suggested to primitive man by the spiral shape of the edible snail. It was not the shape of the shell that suggested the screw, but the spiral motion which it is necessary to give the body of the snail in order to withdraw it from the shell. This at once showed that an object of a screw shape embedded in a solid powerfully resisted attempts to withdraw it by a straight pull. The hint was enough, and the screw become one of the earliest of man's inventions.

Could Be Bought Off.

Alice was staying with her father one evening while her mother was away. The father, while reading, was wiggling the floor lamp and Alice spoke up: "You know mamma does not want you to play with that lamp." She waited a minute, then added: "If you will give me a nickel I won't tell her."

Ancient Wines Perfumed.

Greek and Roman wines were perfumed, generally by steeping the leaves of roses or violets in the liquor until it had acquired the odor of the flowers.

Holy Redeemer Church News

The members of the Sacred Heart League will receive Holy Communion on Friday at 4:30, and also at the 7:45 Mass, when the Holy Hour will be observed.

"Lest we forget." The pastor at the Sunday services pleasantly reminded the members that the beautiful feast of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, which was being impressively observed, brought to happy memory the Thirty Second Anniversary of the pastor's formal taking over the temporal and spiritual charge of Holy Redeemer church.

The old church plant on East Sixth street made dear and precious by reason of most sacred memories of the baptisms, first communions, confirmations, marriages, and funerals or hundreds who were counted among the pioneer Catholics of Portsmouth, is now swallowed up in the whirlpool of busy secular business.

The land on which the pioneer Red man of Scioto valley first made his cradle, play and hunting ground, and happy wigwam became, later, the first foundations of the Catholic church and Catholic school, the home of the Catholic priest and Catholic sisters, who spent their lives in Christian and secular education.

Now the progress of religion and commercialism have each received new homes. The old church plant of Sixth street, phoenix-like, has sprung up into the very miracle of architectural beauty, both as to church and school. Two elegant homes, for pastor and sisters, have also been provided.

The pastor Rev. J. T. McGirk, and fourteen young women of the parish, during seven years of campaigning the parish for one cent a day from each member, were gloriously rewarded for their spirit of sacrifice and preserving efforts by the handsome realization of $12,000—the price paid for the present beautiful site of Holy Redeemer church.

The pastor took this occasion to congratulate the good people of his parish for all their generous, substantial co-operation in every work which he under took for the benefit of religion. The glorious fruit of their sacrifice for the sake of religion is before their eyes, and the eyes of the white community, who glory in them for the pride and progress of their beautiful city.

The pastor paid fitting tribute to the Sisters of St. Francis, for the heroic co-operation which they took in the life of the parish, especially for the monumental work of raising the parish school to the dignity and efficiency of a public high school.

The choir, under the able directorship of Wm. Spitzer, and the skillful playing of Edward Kean, received due praises for the beautiful soul-stirring music rendered during the Christmas season, and for the progress the choir is daily making.

Last, but not least, the pastor most heartily congratulated the members for their generous offering to the orphans. Father Goldsmith reports that their Christmas offering was the largest ever received since the foundation of St. Vincent's.

19 EGGS A DAY FROM 23 HENS, IN WINTER

Mr. Duni's Hens Increased Every Day. Plan Is Easily Tried.

"We have 23 chickens and hadn't had an egg all winter. In five days after feeding Don Sung, we got 4 to 5 eggs a day; in three weeks, we were getting 10 to 12 a day; in five weeks we got 15 eggs a day."—John Duni, Box 102, Cherry Valley, Pa.

Mr. Duni started giving Don Sung in January, in zero weather. He now keeps his hens busy in winter when hens usually loaf. A trial costs nothing. Here's our offer:

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply tell us and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) is a scientific tonic and conditioner. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health and makes her stronger and more active. It tones up the egg-laying organs, and gets the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather.

You can obtain Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send $1.04 (includes war tax) for a package by mail. Burrell-Dugger Co., 214 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

Legislature Correspondents Prepare Gridiron Stunts

COLUMBUS, O., January 3.—Members of the Legislative Correspondents' Association, composed of newspaper men, who report the activities of the general assembly, today were preparing "gridiron" stunts for the press smoker to be held inaugural night, January 10. At its annual meeting yesterday the association re-elected John T. Bourke, of the Cleveland News, president, and also re-elected all other officers.

Killed By Traction Car

FINDLAY, O., Jan. 3.—Edward Terrel rode in front of a Western Ohio interurban car on a bicycle and was killed.

Commodities Decline In December

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3.—A price decline in all commodities of 8 1-2 percent took place in December, according to the federal reserve board.

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$1.50 and $1.25 light and dark silk camisoles, beautifully trimmed. Sale prices 85c and 95c

$2.00 large full cut bungalow aprons of light or dark percale. Sale price $1.25

All Blankets at great savings.

$1.00 union suits for women. Sale price 79c

75c unions for children, sizes 2 to 12. Sale price 59c

$2.75 double silk gloves, all shades $1.98

COATS

A lot of misses' and junior coats in all wool velour that sold at $25. Clean-up price $15

Beautiful velour, polo and suedine coats, some silk lined, some fur trimmed, others with huge cape collars. They sold at $29.50 and $35.00. Sizes 16 to 46. Clean-up price. $19.50

Lovely stylish, novel coats of bolivia and velour, full silk lined, some trimmed in sealine fur; $45 sellers, clean-up price..... $25

Snappy unusual styles in strictly all wool coats with rich fur collars of Australian opossum, sealine and raccoon; regular $50 sellers. Clean-up price $29.50

Your choice of any cloth coat in the house including all our wrappy coats, our extra sizes of rich black broadcloths, and our individual models of chamoistyn, veldyne, etc. Values up to $89.50. Choice $45

A lot of serge and poplin suits for women. $30 sellers. Clean-up price $14.95

A lot of fancy silk dress skirts that sold up to $12.50. Clean-up price $5.98

A group of silk or serge dresses that sold at $17.50; all new styles. Clean-up price $9.75

$13.95 beautiful broadcloth coats in several sizes, 2 to 6. Sale price $9.98

All children's serge dresses at cost. Stunning satin and taffeta dresses that sold up to $42.50. On a special rack for easy selection at $18.75

A lot of suits in velour checks, tricotine and velour that sold at $50.00 and $55.00. Clean-up price $29.75

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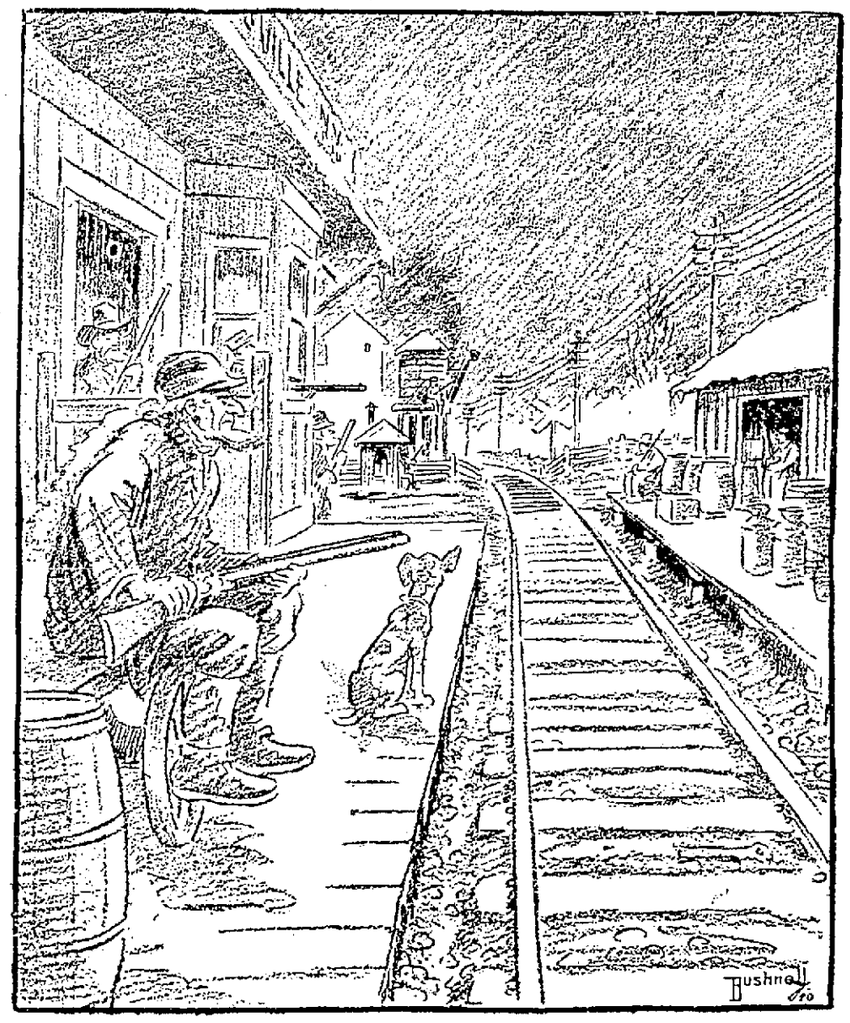

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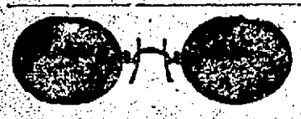

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Regular meeting of Aurora lodge, Monday, Jan. 3rd at 7 p. m. A matter of special importance in regard to the new temple will be up for consideration and a large attendance is desired.

K. of P.

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WANTED—A Lady who can keep a small set of books, answer phone and be generally useful in an office. Call 821-X. Sunday morning between 9 and 12 or 525 Monday. 2-2t

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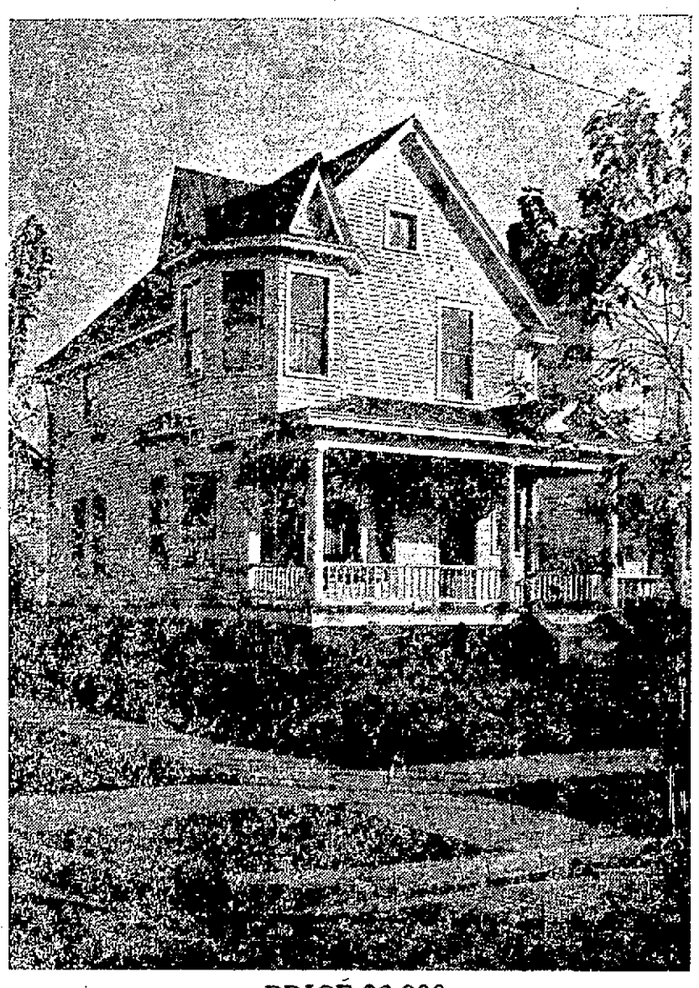

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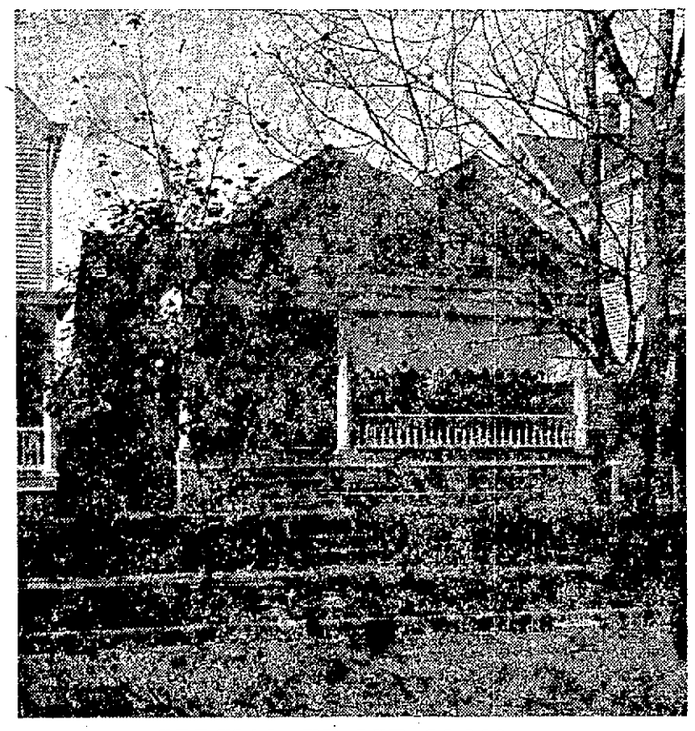

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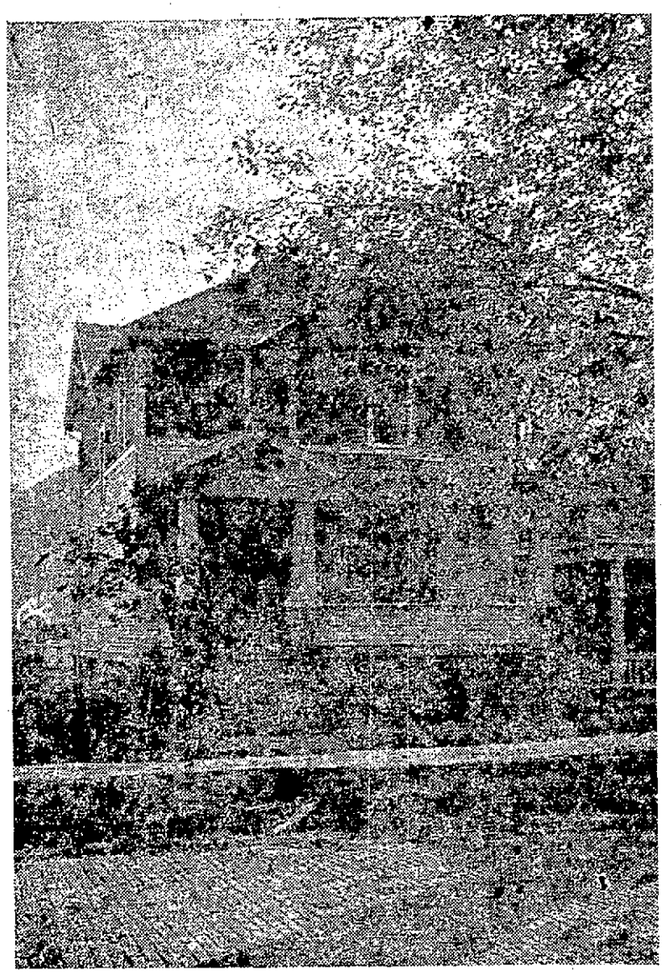

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No. 1—

Just received a fine big brick home on Hutchins Avenue, reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen and pantry, built in china closet, hardwood floors and finish on first floor, open halls, complete bath, 4 nice large bed rooms, large closets on second floor, equipped with gas and electricity throughout, hot water furnace, basement under half of house, house has slate roof, newly built garage, cement floor, lot 40 feet front, street assessments paid, sanitary sewer connected. This is a splendid chance to get a fine big brick home on Hutchins Ave., now at a very reasonable price.

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No. 2—

A very elaborate 8 room bungalow on the Hilltop, reception hall, living room, 2 bed rooms, complete bath, hall, large bed rooms and complete bath on the second floor, equipped with hardwood floors, gas and electricity throughout, basement under entire house, laundry room, coal room, furnace room, and storage in basement, hot water, furnace throughout, equipped for coal or gas, front and back porch, garage on the rear, lot 60 feet front, side drive, street assessment paid, sanitary sewer connected.

PRICE $11,500

No. 3—

Just received a fine big 7 room two story on Hutchins Avenue, Timmonds Addition, reception hall, complete bath, built in china closet, den or bed room down stairs, 4 nice bed rooms upstairs, kitchenette, front and rear porches, hardwood floors and finish, basement under all the house, coal furnace, nice large garage, street assessments paid. You will like this home.

PRICE $10,000

No. 4—

This modern and very elaborate six room bungalow, corner Franklin Avenue and Logan St., one of the prettiest homes and on one of the best corners on the Hilltop one square from Highland Avenue school. Contains six large rooms, living room, dining room, with built in china closet, large, long hall leads to three nice bed rooms, a built-in linen closet, butler's pantry with cupboards built in between kitchen and dining room, nice large kitchen with one piece sink equipped with gas and electricity, beautiufl fixtures, mahogany wood work, steam furnace to each room, two rooms in basement, plenty of room for two nice bedrooms on second floor. This property also contains a two room house on rear suitable for dwelling purposes or for garage, cistern, sanitary sewer connected, $700 worth of street improvement paid on both front and side, taxes on this property paid until December, 1921. Property just newly painted. If you want one of the prettiest homes on the hill, if you want one of the best corners on the hill, if you want a $10,000 home for $9,000, then you had better call us early, terms can be arranged. Remember the price of this home may soon advance to $10,000. Shades, screens and curtain rods fitted to all windows.

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No. 5—

Just completed one of the prettiest and coziest 6 room two story homes, in a down town location, located on Second street in fine residential section. Exceptionally well constructed number one material throughout 6 rooms, reception hall ,living room, dining room and kitchen, pantry on first floor, 3 bed rooms, complete bath, open hall large closets to each room finished in white enamel wood work, gum finish down stairs, French doors, tapestry, mantel, gas logs, gas and electricity combination gas and coal furnace, basement under entire house, reinforced concrete porch, basement also under porch, large attic, now ready for occupancy.

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No. 6—

Two homes on corner lot, practically new. A 5 room cottage on corner lot, on Hilltop, metal roof, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water, pantry, nice cellar, rooms all large, front porch, house newly painted, also a 6 room two story on rear of lot facing side street, property all in good repair, fine proposition to occupy one house and rent the other.

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No. 7—

Just completed, modern 6 room cottage on Lincoln Hill near Robinson Ave., with a 3 room cottage on the rear, renting for $18.00 per month in advance.

The front cottage contains 6 nice big rooms, a living room, dining room, kitchen, one piece sink, complete bath, hall and one nice bed room down stairs, two bed rooms on second floor, each room down stairs nicely papered, mahogany doors and ivory finished wood work, wired for electricity, all new and elaborate electric fixtures and nice big front porch, front cottage all newly painted, new roof, rear house has new roof, anti-freeze closet, sink and water in kitchen. Both houses connected to sanitary sewer, lot is 41 1-2 feet front. Exceptionally fine location only one and one-half square from main car line and out of all high water.

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No. 8—

Fine big 6 room two story on new Sixth street, ideal location, complete bath, gas and electricity, nice cellar, house all nicely papered, large lot with a two story barn extending entire width of lot on the rear of the premises. Property all newly painted and slate roof.

PRICE $7,400

No. 9—

Just received this 11 room home on Gay street, opposite Tracy Park, this is a fine proposition for a home or for an investment, reception hall, metal roof, cellar, water and gas, sewer, street assessments paid. Lot is 44 1-2 feet front, 120 feet deep. Large two story barn. This is the first time this property has been offered for sale, so act quickly.

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No. 10—

Just received. This big 7 room two story home on High street, complete bath, reception hall, gas and electricity, hardwood floors, double floors, basement under entire house, gas, furnace, tapestry mantel, gas logs, front and rear porch, 3 bed rooms and a sleeping porch, upstairs, house newly built and all newly papered, sanitary sewer connected, street assessments paid, nice size lot. Ask to be shown this home today.

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No. 11—

Just received. This big 7 room home on Vinton Ave., reception hall, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water, nice basement, sliding doors, cabinet mantel, house storm sheeted, front and rear porch, street assessments paid, sanitary sewer connected. This is an exceptionally well built home.

PRICE $7,000

No. 12—

Nice 8 room two story which consists of a two 4 room flat, with bath to each flat, private entrance to each flat located on Gallia near Mabert Road, equipped with electricity up stairs and down, basement under entire house. Upstairs rents for $25.00 per month.

PRICE $6,800

No. 13—

Nice 6 room two story on Eleventh near Hutchins, complete bath, three rooms upstairs with a private entrance from the side, metal roof, nice cellar, two mantels, sewer connected, cistern, garage, lot 35 feet front 128 feet deep, street assessments paid.

A good buy at $6,500

No. 14—

A very attractive 5 room cottage on Robinson, reception hall, complete bath, gas and electricity, hardwood floors throughout, double floors, basement under half of house, rooms all nicely papered and decorated, large floored attic, stairway leading to attic. A home similar to this in same location sold recently for $6800.00.

This is yours for $6,300

No. 15—

Nice 5 room cottage on Summit street near Seventeenth, complete bath, large reception hall, French doors, living room, dining room, two bed rooms, kitchen and pantry, rear hall, wired for electricity, all new fixtures, nice cellar, house newly painted, lot 36 1-2 feet front, room for side drive way.

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No. 16—

A very attractive 5 room cottage bungalow, practically new, on Grandview avenue above Seventeenth, reception hall, complete bath, living room, kitchen and pantry, rear hall leads into two bed rooms and bath room, closets, hardwood floors in all rooms, double floors, electricity for lights, nice fixtures, stairway leading to a large attic, nice basement, front and rear porches. This home is just what you have been wanting. Sacrificed to a price that will make you hustle.

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No. 17—

This 6 room two story home on Grandview ave., on one of the prettiest corners on the hill, reception hall, stairway leads from the reception hall to an open hall upstairs, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water, nice basement, corner lot, connected to sanitary sewer.

PRICE $6,000

No. 18—

This attractive 6 room two story home on Chillicothe street above the city hospital, practically new, built two years ago, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water, basement under entire house, large fruit room under reinforced concrete porch, large cistern, large dining room and kitchn, built-in china closet, house newly painted and papered, lot is 40 ft. front, 172 feet deep, garage, cement floor, side drive, on paved street in city limits. Absolutely the best bargain offered today.

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No. 19—

Just received: This 7 room two story on Grandview Ave., a splendid location, house has slate roof, complete bath, bed room down stairs, reception hall off front porch arranged for two families or would make an ideal home for one family, cellar, cistern, two story barn will accommodate three automobiles, large upstairs to barn, lot 35 ft. by 133 feet deep, street assessments paid, sanitary sewer paid. Don't let this get away from you.

PRICE $5,750

No. 20—

Here is a fine 7 room two story home on Glover street, corner lot, reception hall, complete bath, living room, dining room, bed room and kitchen down stairs, 3 bed rooms, complete bath upstairs, front and rear porch, corner lot, fine proposition to build on rear of lot. $1230 cash, easy terms.

PRICE $5,650

No. 21—

Newly built 6 room two story home on Main street Sciotoville, paved street, ideal location, bath roughed in, composition slate roof, cellar, gas and electricity built in china closet pantry lot 53 feet front 135 feet deep. Terms arranged.

PRICE $5,500

No. 22—

Owner leaving city on account of ill health, home sacrificed. A fine big 5 room Ell cottage on Gallia street above lincoln, extra room for bath room, wired for electricity, pantry, front and rear porch, small hall, 2 bed rooms, newly papered, hot water, sink, nice cellar, nice lot 35 1-2 feet front, house newly painted. Your opportunity. Don't let it slip.

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No. 23—

Nice 4 room "Ell" cottage on Seventh near Brown, fine location, good neighborhood, large living room, dining room, one bed room, nice kitchen, two pantries, front and back porch, large cellar, stable and garage, nice lot.

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CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—Opening—
Wheat: March 1.68½; May 1.63½.
Corn: May 74½; July 74¾.
Oats: May 49½; July 47½.
11:30—
Wheat: March 1.74½; May 1.68½.
Corn: May 69¼; July 71⅛.
Oats: May 50⅛.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—Wheat Mar. 1.76¼; May 1.71½.
Corn: May 76¾; July 77¾.
Oats: May 50⅛; July 47⅞.
Pork: Jan. 23.05.
Lard: Jan. 12.80; May 13.40.
Ribs: Jan. 11.40; May 12.10.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3—Wheat firmer; 2.03 @ 2.05.
Corn steady; 75 @ 76.
Oats firm: 49 @ 50.
Rye firm: 1.65 @ 1.67.
Hay steady; 20.00 @ 28.00.
Potatoes 6.00 @ 6.50.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Cattle: Receipts 16,000; better grades beef steers slow; common and medium strong to 25c higher; early top 11.00; bulk 8.50 @ 10.00; fat she stock strong to 25c higher; bulls 5.50 @ 7.50; canners and cutters, bulls, stockers and feeders steady; vealers steady; choice shipping calves active; top vealers 12.50; shippers up to 13.50.

Hogs: Receipts 36,000; opening 15c to 25c higher; later 10c to 15c higher than Saturday's average; big packers doing very little; top early 10.00 for light lights and 180 pound offerings; bulk 9.25 @ 9.65; pigs strong 10c higher; bulk desirable 80 to 130 pound pigs 9.87 @ 10.60.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 3—On the stock exchange the new year opened auspiciously, a number of important issues, especially those embracing the railway shipping, steel, equipment, motor, metal, tobacco and food divisions recording early gains of 1 to 2½ points. Specific features of strength included the transcontinental rails, Mercantile Marine preferred, Bethlehem Steel, General Electric, Anaconda, Beet Sugar and American Tobacco. Motor specialties also strengthened, notably the rubber group, but oils were mixed though mainly higher. Within the first half hour, prices reacted, Reading Mexican Petroleum and Crucible becoming heavy.

Stocks were freely supplied during the morning, but the abrupt reaction was occasioned mainly by the sharp break in Atlantic Gulf issues, the common falling six points and the preferred four, both new low records. Concurrent weakness was shown by United Fruit, Crucible, Baldwin, Mexican and Pan-American Petroleums, Houston Oil, Studebaker, United States Rubber, American Woolen and American Sugar, which lost 1 to 2 points. Rails suffered to the same extent, but a few closely held shares, namely General Asphalt, Tobacco and Hide and Leather preferred, were strong. By noon Atlantic Gulf rallied points, but recoveries elsewhere were substantial. Call money opened 7 percent and exchange on London strong.

The initial session of the new year the stock exchange was characterized by confusing movements, a firm opening giving way to heaviness at midday, followed by irregular strength in later dealings. Sales approximated 800,000 shares.

The closing was firm.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 45
American Can 27½
American Car and Foundry 121⅝
American Locomotive 83
American Smelting and Ref'g. 36½
American Sumatra Tobacco 77
American T. and T. 96
Anaconda Copper 35½
Atchison 83⅞
Baldwin Locomotive 86¼
Baltimore and Ohio 36
Bethlehem Steel "B" 56⅝
Central Leather 37½
Chesapeake and Ohio 60⅛
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 30
Corn Products Ex Div 67
Crucible Steel 77
General Motors 14⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 28⅝
Goodrich Co. 38
Int. Mer. Marine pfd. 53
International Paper 46⅞
Kennecott Copper 19
Mexican Petroleum 160½
New York Central Ex. Div 73¼
Norfolk and Western 99⅞
Northern Pacific Ex Div 82¾
Pennsylvania 40⅞
Reading 82⅞
Rep. Iron and Steel 62⅝
Sinclair Oil and Refining 21
Southern Pacific 99¾
Southern Railway 23¼
Studebaker Corporation 45¾
Texas Co. 43½
Tobacco Products 53⅜
Union Pacific 119½
United States Rubber 65
United States Steel 81½
Utah Copper 50¼
Westinghouse Eelectric 43½
Willys-Overland 6

CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, Jan. 3—Cities Service common 2.30 @ 2.35.
Do. preferred 62½ @ 63.
Do. bankers 29½ @ 30.
Pure Oil common 35½ @ 36½.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—Wheat prices showed considerable strength today, largely as a result of buying on the part of houses with seaboard connections. March delivery touched the highest level since early in December. Bulls made much of the fact that export demand has been above expectations, which ranged from ½c off to 1⅝c advance, with March 1.68½ to 1.70 and May 1.63½ to 1.64½, were followed by a slight sag and then by a decided upturn all around.

Corn hardened with wheat. After opening, ¼c off to ½c advance including May at 74½ to 74⅞, the market eased a little, and then scored a moderate general gain.

Oats were firm with other cereals, starting unchanged to ⅜c higher, with May 49½ to 49¾, and after a slight setback rising well above initial figures.

Provisions ascended with hogs and grain.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 3—Wheat, cash 2.05; Mar. and May 2.00.
Corn January 79.
Oats, cash 52½.
Barley 82.
Rye, No. 2, 1.63.
Clover seed, prime cash (1919) 13.50; (1920) 13.75; Jan. 13.75; Feb. 13.95; Mar. 13.90; Apr. 12.50.
Alsike, prime cash (1919) 16.50; (1920) 17.50; Mar. 16.50.
Timothy, prime cash (1918) 3.45; (1919) 3.55; Jan. 3.62; Feb. 3.65; Mar. 3.67½.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3—Hogs: Receipts 9500; market steady, 25c higher; heavies 9.00 @ 9.75; packers and butchers 9.75; medium 10.00 @ 10.25; stags 5.00 @ 6.25; heavy fat sows 6.00 @ 7.75; light shippers 10.25; pigs, 110 pounds and less 9.00 @ 10.25.

Cattle: Receipts 2500; market slow and steady to 25c lower; steers, good to choice .00 @ 10.00; fair to good 6.50 @ 8.00; common to fair 4.00 @ 6.50; heifers, good to choice, 8.00 @ 9.50; fair to good 6.00 @ 8.00; common to fair 4.00 @ 6.00; cows, good to choice 6.00 @ 7.25; fair to good 5.00 @ 6.00; cutters 3.75 @ 5.00. Calves active; good to choice 16.50 @ 17.00; fair to good 13.00 @ 16.50; common and large 6.00 @ 12.00.

Sheep: Receipts 200; market steady; good to choice 4.50 @ 5.00; fair to good 3.00 @ 4.50; common 1.50 @ 3.00; bucks 1.50 @ 4.00. Lambs strong and higher; good to choice 12.75; fair to good 11.00 @ 12.00; seconds 9.00 @ 10.00; common 6.00 @ 8.00.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—Butter higher; creamery extras 54½; standards 47½.
Eggs higher; receipts 2128 cases; firsts 60 @ 60½; ordinary firsts 52 @ 57; at mark, cases included, 51 @ 57; refrigerator firsts 56 @ 57; refrigerator extras 57 @ 58½.
Live poultry lower; fowls 23 @ 28; springs 25; turkeys 40.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3—Alcohol, denatured 80 @ 84; 70 percent, 40. Gasoline, tank wagon, 31.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 3— Cotton futures closed firm; Jan. 15.47; Mar. 14.60; May 14.80; July 14.00; Oct. 14.85.
Spot Cotton quiet; middling 16.00.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 3—Call money firm; high 7; low 7; ruling rate 7; closing bid 6; offered at 7; last loan 7. Bank acceptances 6¼.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 3—Raw sugar opened steady at 4⅜c for Cubas cost and freight, equal to 5.39 for centrifugal. Futures were quiet and after opening about five points lower continued to ease off under liquidation.

FOR RENT—5 room cottage on Hilltop. $45 per month. Phone 342. 20-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Hot cold water in rooms. 703 Findlay. 19-tf

FOR RENT—Light house keeping rooms. 1010 Gallia. 28tf

LOST

LOST—Black velvet pocketbook with red rings on Washington or Second streets. Call 1068-Y. 3-3t

LOST—Automobile crank on Grant, Offnere or Gallia St. Overland 83. Phone 1272-L. Reward. 31-3t

LOST—Bunch of keys between Drew stop and Young street on 11th or Robinson. Finder please return to 1654 11th. Phone 310-L. Reward. 31-3t

LOST—Child's Green Silk Pocketbook on 11th or Clay St. Return to 1223 Grandview. Reward. 3-1t

LOST—Friday evening, 2 velvet flowers in Anderson's envelope. Phone 699-L. 3-1t

LOST—Knight Templars charm attached to ribbon watch fob. Name on edge of charm. A. J. Fuller. Phone 13. Reward. 3-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

PHONOGRAPHS REPAIRED— Victrolas, Grafonolas, Silvertones, Mirophones and all other modern Talking Machines promptly repaired. Work called for. Satisfaction guaranteed. Steed Brothers, Phone 360-L. 14-tf.

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Worth While Things Lie Deep.

The more you work what you have the more you will find it worth working. It often happens that the best minerals lie deeper down. The stuff lies near the roof. Ideas that lie near enough to the surface to become the easy prey of the casually passing are seldom of any great worth. They may be all right, but they belong to the common variety. It's what you have to dig for that counts. He who is willing to spend time by the daylight and the lamplight will have something to show for his efforts. In this as in other things nature says, "To him that hath shall be given." The mind that has learned to wrestle with great thoughts can manage great enterprises. To the man of understanding is given the joy of deeper thinking and richer blessings for the world. The limit will lie in your will to continue digging for the ores of worth.—Grit.

Walnuts a Valuable Food.

Walnuts, the scientists claim, are not only a substantial article of food, but they are an excellent substitute for meat. Walnuts contain far less water than either potatoes, beefsteak, or wheat flour, while the percentage of protein and fat is far in excess. There is only just over one per cent of fat in wheat flour and 18.5 in beefsteak as compared with 64.4 per cent in walnuts. California is one of the great growing grounds for walnuts at present, the industry increasing its wealth to the extent of more than $15,000,000 a year. The California walnut industry was started by a band of British farmers some years ago, who introduced the common English walnut into that part of the world.

Fake and Truth About the Aspen.

The aspen leaf is said to quiver because the cross of the crucifixion was made of this wood. The fact is that the leaf is broad, and placed on a long leaf-stock so flexible as scarcely to be able to support it in an upright position. The upper part of the stalk is flattened, and, being at right angles with the leaf, is peculiarly liable to be moved by the faintest breath of air.

America's First Street Railroad.

November 26, 1832, the first street railway in America began operation. It was the New York & Harlem road. The line's only car was drawn by one horse and ran from the city hall to Fourteenth street, a distance of a mile and three-quarters.

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When your cold or cough is relieved, take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and babies, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for infants and children.—adv.

THE MOVIES

HALF A CHANCE

with Mahlon Hamilton and Lillian Rich

From the novel by Frederic S. Isham

Starting Tonight For Two Nights Only, The Eastland Theatre Will Offer The Most Sensational, Stupendous and Human Drama the Screen Has Ever Known—"Half a Chance" with Mahlon Hamilton and Star Cast—Also Harold Lloyd, Bebe Daniels and Snub Pollard in "Bees In His Bonnet," A Laughing Treat.

A play men will remember—a romance to thrill women. That is what awaits you at the Eastland Theatre tonight and Tuesday night in the initial showing of Frederick Isham's great novel "Half a Chance" starring Mahlon Hamilton and Lillian Rich.

With our unqualified seal of approval we wish to personally commend the stupendous drama, "Half a Chance," for your attention. It features Mahlon Hamilton and Lillian Rich. For sheer action, tremendous heart appeal and thrilling scenes, no production—not even "The Spoilers" or "The Barrier" has ever equaled "Half a Chance." It sweeps with the surge of Niagara from the prize ring to a steamer's stokehole—to a sensational shipwreck and wonder scenes on a desert island. Back it flashes to high society and underworld life. It mirrors the soul of a man's man—a woman's hero. Buffeted by the law, lashed by Fate, shipwrecked, with everything against him except a faithful dog, an accident turned his half a chance into a whole one, and he took it.

Each climax is like a bolt of lightning, vivid and surprising. Each clash of mind or body is a tense battle packed with enthralling interest. And the romance is as alluring as lavender and old rose. Rare entertainment indeed—a gigantic production—one to lift and exalt you. See it at the Eastland Theatre. It will keep you talking about it for months.

And don't forget your old friend Harold Lloyd will also be on the program in one of his best comedies, supported by Bebe Daniels and Snub Pollard. The Eastland Orchestra have arranged a beautiful musical theme as a prelude to the feature.

First Suggestion.

"What do you suppose the first quarrel between Adam and Eve was about?" "I guess she pitched into him about raising Cain."

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A RIB-TICKLING RIOT IS PARLOR BEDROOM and BATH

At the Exhibit Theatre for two Hilarious Days and Nights, Starting "Bedroom and Bath," the Piquant Story of a Young Wife Who Wanted a Wild Man for a Husband—And Got More than she Bargained for—Don't Miss It.

"Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," the screen farce which sets forth the tribulations and misadventures of a model husband who won his wife under a false pretense of devilishness, is scheduled for its second local showing tonight at the Exhibit.

For one of the longest and most hilarious seasons a comedy has ever known, "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," written by C. W. Bell and Mark Swan, and produced in the theatre by A. H. Woods, convulsed New York; and those who have had the opportunity of seeing pre-release showings of the production in pictures, with an all-star cast, assert that the play has gained rather than lost in hilarity in the translation to the silver sheet.

The situation—or at least the central situation, for there are any number of them—deals with Reggie Irving who for many years had sought to win Angelica. This young woman wanted a man just the opposite of what her own name implied. She wanted a wild one, and since Reggie had no idea of how to be wild, had no inclinations toward sowing even a little patch of the untamed oats, he perforce sought outside aid. He went to Polly Hathaway, society reporter on the scandal sheet and asked her to use dark polish on his reputation.

Ruth Stonehouse enacts the breezy resourceful girl reporter.

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Material Must Be in the Mind.

It's folly to imagine you can put anything into your mind. People by the thousands think they can put anything they want into other people's minds. The best they can do is to stir up natural ability. With this awakened there can be developed anything that lies within the range of the individual personality. The result will be that the mind will be able to do many things that not having been aroused it could never do. Some people get aroused in schools. Others with natural bents toward the why of things learn to think without the stimulus of others and give to the world many thoughts that help it to live better. One builds within the mind from the material stored there.

"According to Hoyle."

Edmund Hoyle (1672-1769) was an English writer on whist and other card games. He was the first man to systematize the laws of whist, and for a time he supported himself by teaching the game. His famous "Short Treatise on Whist" appeared in London in 1742. Rules for other games, which included the "Short Treatise," has passed into many editions. His name has become proverbial, and "Hoyle," in common speech, means a book of rules and instructions for card games, especially the famous old book edited by Hoyle himself. The common expression, "according to Hoyle," means following the rules laid down in Hoyle.

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Women occupy a different position in the world today than ever before. Their genius, strategy and intuition is recognized. They have done big things during the war and in many cases have proven the equal of man. They have taken their places in he front lines and faced all the dangers of a soldier.

In Alsace and the invaded countries many brave women sacrificed their lives that some man might be saved. They have died with a smile on their lips, whispering, "It is all for France."

This phase has been ably illustrated by Albert E. Smith and Cyrus Townsend Grady in the Vitagraph feature "Daring Hearts," which will be shown at the Strand theatre tonight. Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne are the co-stars.

While "Daring Hearts" is a war picture, it is of a type that stamps it as a classic. It is a story that holds the attention. It makes one a better American, and it illustrates technical and human interest phases that are ever fresh and new.

Also Harry Carey.

Does The Soul of a Woman Rule the World? See the Answer in "The Strongest" Big Fox Feature at the Lincoln Tonight. Also A Dandy Comedy.

"Does the soul of a woman rule the world?" is the question propounded and answered by "The Strongest," a William Fox production from the pen of Georges Clemenceau, the "Tiger of France," which will appear at the Lincoln tonight.

Some of the strong features in "The Strong" are:

When the Marquis de Puymanfray, lover of the beautiful, meets Harlo, who loves nothing but money and power.

When Claire and the Marquis, driven by a storm to seek shelter in a deserted hut, discover their mutual love.

When the trigger finger of the Marquis—on the very threshold of self-slaughter—is stayed by the arrival of a letter from the grave.

When the khaki-clad American, Maurice, meets claiming Claudia for the first time and starts a flame of affection at the altar of her eyes.

When the Viscomte and Comtesse, scheming charlatans, force an entree to the home of the steel king by a clever ruse.

When Maurice and Claudia, brimful of love and hope, get their first glimpse of America, the land of "The Strongest."

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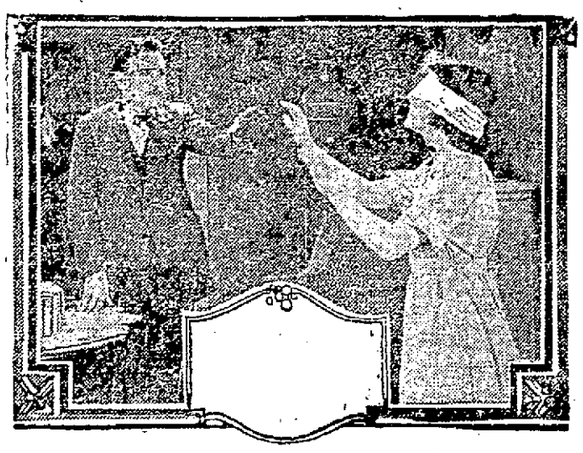

NATIONAL NP PICTURES

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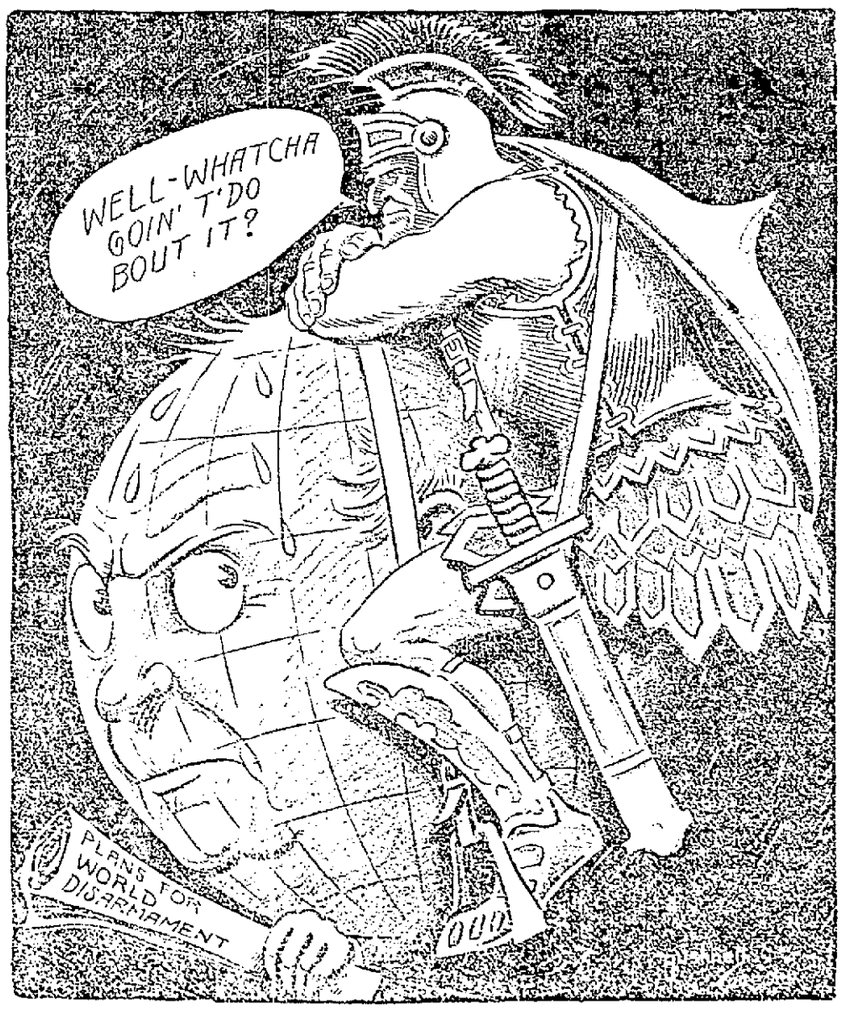
BLIND YOUTH

Does There Come Back To You From The Days of Your Youth The Memory of Some Guilty Act You Committed? See "Blind Youth" at The Temple Tonight Only. Also A Smile-a-minute Vanity Fair Maids Comedy.

He lived with his father in Paris, his father died and left him penniless. He returned to America to his mither from who his father was separated. He found her wealthy and well dressed while he was virtually a beggar in rags. He was snubbed by both his mother and brother because by reason of his poverty he could take his proper place in society. Did death by his own hand offer the easiest way out of the difficulty?

"Blind Youth" is a most interesting story with a theme and a moral entirely different from anything that has been shown on the screen for a long time. It will make you think and it will come home closer to you than any picture you have seen for many a day so very human is the story and so entirely natural is the acting. It isn't a society picture and it isn't a "vamp" picture it's just a most absorbing page from the book of life.

You'll be entirely normal, if possibly, "Blind Youth" causes a long-hidden tear to dampen your eye, and you'll certainly be entirely abnormal if the Vanity Fair Maids Comedy to be shown in addition to this big feature don't start your laughing apparatus to working overtime. And the Selznic News pictures all the latest events right off the bat.



New Clue In Safe Robbery

The police are working on a new clue in the Giesler and Hetzel robbery and hope to make an arrest in it shortly. A young man who is supposed to know something about it has been missing from his home.

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Was On Business Trip

Marling Mitchell, who is employed in the C. and O. offices on Fourth street is home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

River News

At 7 o'clock this morning the Ohio river registered 11.5 and is falling.

The Tacoma will be down Tuesday for Cincinnati. She is the only boat now running between Huntington and Cincinnati.

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OBITUARY

Manning S. Webster

Friends in this city will regret to learn of the death at Pomeroy last Monday of Manning S. Webster. He was one of the leading attorneys of that section and was well known here, having visited this city frequently. He was a nephew of Mrs. J. J. Bardin and Mrs. George D. Selby.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon, and was attended by J. J. Bardin of this city, other relatives from here being unable to attend, owing to illness. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. D. L. McElroy, one of the faculty of Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware. He was a former playmate of Mr. Webster at their old home in Middleport, and later was with him in college at Delaware. The church was filled when the last honors were paid Mr. Webster, and the many floral tributes also bore evidence of the esteem in which he was held by the community in which he lived.

David Everett O'Roark

Death about 6:30 o'clock Saturday night claimed David Everett O'Roark, the final summons coming to the young man at the home of Charles Chandler, 1902 Grand avenue, where he had rooms. O'Roark was 30 years of aged and had been ill only a short time with brain fever. David E. O'Roark was a native of Lawrence county, O. His father, David O'Roark died six weeks ago at his home at Pedro, back of Ironton. The young man leaves his mother, Mrs. David O'Roark, a sister, Miss Edna O'Roark, at home, and a half brother, G. F. O'Roark, of Scioto ville.

Young O'Roark had been in Portsmouth about a year. He worked in the Leichner and Jordan garage repairing trucks until he was taken ill.

The body was shipped Sunday afternoon on the N. and W. train No. 16 to Ironton, from which place it was taken to Pedro, where funeral and burial services will be held.

Nancy Jane McCall

After a lingering illness of ten years Miss Nancy McCall passed away at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of her sister Mrs. Agnes McCall, 1229 Seventeenth street, dropsy being the cause of death. The deceased was 74 years old. She had been confined to her bed for two weeks prior to death.

Nancy Jane McCall was born at South Webster on March 25, 1846 and the earlier part of her life was spent there. During the later years of her life she resided in this city.

She had been a lifelong member of the Methodist church to which she was ever faithful in her duties. She was kind and affectionate to all and she will be missed.

Funeral services were held from the home at 1229 Seventeenth street Monday at 10 a. m. with burial in Greenlawn cemetery. Rev. N. E. Butler officiated at the services.

Capt. Frank M. Fagan

Death at 6:45 Sunday night claimed Capt. Frank Marion Fagan, one of the city's best known and most highly respected citizens, and who had for more than 35 years been a member of the local fire department. He suffered a stroke of paralysis on January 25 last and he never recovered from the effects of it. During his long illness he bore up cheerfully and never once complained about feeling badly. With loved ones at his bedside the end came peacefully last night.

Had Capt. Fagan lived until April 28 next he would have been 78 years old. He was born in Concord, Ky., and came to this city with his mother when a small child and had always lived here since that time. He is survived by his faithful life-mate, Mrs. Sarah Fagan, and one son, Clay, of Springfield, O., and four daughters, Mrs. Martha Prior of Columbus, Mrs. Fannie Andre of St. Louis, Mrs. Grace Warrener of El Paso, Tex., and Mrs. Mayme Markin of Springfield, O.

Capt. Fagan served all through the Conflict of '61-'65 with credit to himself and country. He was a member of Company 91st O. V. I. and was a member of Bailey Post G. A. R. of this city and was always interested in the affairs of this organization.

Capt. Fagan was badly hurt in the Anderson fire, which occurred on Fourth street, near Market, when the flour mill there burned down on December 7, 1886. One of the walls fell and four firemen were killed and four were injured. Capt. Fagan was among those injured, being crushed about the back and hips. He had been a cripple since that time and served as a watchman for many years at the Seventh street department and a short time at the East End department. He was a well known citizen, honest as the day is long, and news of his passing away will be learned with sincere regret.

The funeral services will be conducted from the family residence at 603 Eighth street, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and the last rites will be in charge of Rev. N. E. Butler and members of Bailey Post G. A. R. Interment will be in Greenlawn.

Owing to the serious condition of her husband, Mrs. Grace Warrener of El Paso, Tex., will not be able to attend her father's funeral services.

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Mary Lee Beatty

Mary Lee, two-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey of 1518 Kinney street, died Saturday night at 11:30. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon and interment was in Greenlawn.

Oscar Beekman

Funeral services for Oscar Beekman, fifteen-year-old son of William Beekman of Peebles, were held Thursday afternoon at that place. The boy died following a week's illness of meningitis.

Baby Charles W. Cropper

Peaceful sleep came to Charles William Cropper only son of David and Eva Cropper at their home at Westerly, W. Va., Friday night, Dec. 31 at 9:30 o'clock. The baby was only eleven days old.

The body was brought to Portsmouth Sunday and was taken to the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolan, 2017 Robinson avenue. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon with burial in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Kate Middleton

Death about 6:20 o'clock Sunday evening claimed Mrs. Kate Middleton the final summons coming at the home of her daughter-in-law Mrs. G. E. Middleton of 1715 Eighth street after a ten days illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Middleton was born and reared at Madison, Ind., at which place she spent the greater part of her life. She was 71 years of age coming to this city about six years ago to make her home with her late son, G. E. Middleton and her daughter-in-law.

A daughter Mrs. Charles Mabrey of Goshen, N. Y., survives. She also leaves a sister Mrs. George Antle of Indianapolis.

Mrs. Middleton had made many friends since coming to Portsmouth to live and her legion of acquaintances will learn of her death with genuine sorrow.

Short funeral services will be held this Monday evening at the home at seven o'clock with Rev. George P. Horst of the Second Presbyterian church in charge.

The remains will be shipped Tuesday morning to the old home at Madison, Ind., where funeral and burial will take place Wednesday.

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MARTIN MAY FIGHT HERE

Promoter Charles Anderson of the Portsmouth Athletic Association stated Monday that he would make an effort to bring the famous fighting Bob Martin and another good fighter here for a ten round bout. Martin is one of the best heavyweights in the country and would draw a capacity audience here. Promoter Anderson has lines out to bring some well known fighters here in the next three or four months.

CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON OPENS TONIGHT

CHICAGO, Jan. 3—The western conference championship basketball season opens tonight with the Wisconsin five meeting Northwestern at Evanston. The other teams in the big ten will not swing into action until later in the week. The season will close early in March.

The University of Chicago, winner of the 1920 championship, enters the race with a formidable five, but Wisconsin is regarded as the dark horse of the campaign. Purdue, Illinois and Michigan also have developed strong teams likely to cause upsets in the race.

State Basketeers Play Princeton Tonight

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 3—Ohio State will meet Princeton in basketball here tonight and in spite of the fact that several of the Buckeyes star floor men are in California with the football team, Princeton is expected to get a hard battle. Wittenberg on Saturday night beat Princeton 33 to 10, while Ohio State was recently defeated by the Lutherans 27 to 26.

To Rematch Alexander And George

Jimmy George and George Alexander, who put up a great fight Saturday night, will be rematched for the next series of boxing matches to be pulled off in the city. They are real scrappers and should put up another sterling battle. Each claims to be the superior of the other and they will train faithfully for their next sizzling settoo.

Will Play Specials

Tonight, at eight o'clock, in the First Evangelical Sunday-school gym, the Intermediates of that school will play a game with the Bigelow Specials. The Intermediates are endeavoring to raise money for a new basketball and will charge an admission of ten cents for this contest. The Intermediates will use Flowers, Torges, Werner, Flowers and Brunner, while the Bigelow specials will use in their lineup Gordley, Schneller, DeArley, Gordley and Flowers.

O'Dowd Will Fight Here

Phil O'Dowd, one of the best bantamweights in the country, will soon show his fistic wares here. He was here Saturday night and was in Lou Palmer's corner in his fight with Homer Thomas. O'Dowd recently beat Frankie Mason, who fought Jimmy Wilde of England. They will stage their second match in two weeks.

Chinamen Outdress Women.

In China the men as a rule are more extravagant in dress than the women.

THIS KIND OF A BREAD LINE IS O. K., SAYS PRETTY YOUNG MISS WHO FEEDS IT EVERY DAY BUT SUNDAY

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Recreation for all follows the lunch period. Music, dancing, books and games occupy half an hour of playtime before the afternoon work. According to the report for the year, Miss Wallace has distributed 107,900 ham sandwiches, 88,920 bowls of soup and stew and 26,000 apples.

"Factories all over the country are trying to keep such bread lines within their plants" says Miss Wallace. "It is much better to have the bread line in the plant and the plant running than a bread line at the city down-and-out club and the plant closed."

Miss Edel Wallace, master-chef of one of the largest clothing factories in the country, and part of the long "bread line" she feeds every noon.

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COLORADO WOMAN IS ONLY FEMININE "LOOKOUT" IN U. S. FOREST SERVICE

Miss Helen Dow and her mount.

Miss Helen Dow of Douglas county, Colorado, is the only woman "lookout" in the services of the U. S. forest service. This courageous little lady is the observer at Devil's Head Fire Lookout, a position she has held since 1919. Part of Miss Dow's job is to split her own firewood, pack her drinking water several miles up the mountain side and keep a watchful eye on the surrounding country. Miss Dow is twenty-four years old and before entering the forest service worked in the art department of the Rocky Mountain News. During the summer she "punched," which means she acted as guide for tourists through the mountains.

French Deputies Fear Plug Hat.

An American legislature may be brought to order and made to listen to the chair, as a rule, when the gavel is pounded loudly enough and continuously enough, but when the French chamber of deputies grows excited there is another method of restoring order. When the deputies have come to the state where they are pounding on desks with their canes and standing on chairs to shout abuse at each other over intervening heads, and when blows threaten and duels are in the air, the president of the chamber opens the lower right hand corner of his desk—the deep drawer—and takes out an ancient plug hat which must have been installed there shortly after the French revolution, to judge from its cut, and solemnly he rises to his feet, holding the hat out at arm's length. One by one the raging deputies notice the pose and the hat, and they fall silent before the threat, in fear that the hat in the president's hand may be put on his head. If it is that act adjourns the chamber.—La France, New York.

Mixup Was Too Much for Him.

Chester could not understand why Lloyd was called his half-brother. It was explained to him—his father had married twice. He couldn't seem to grasp the idea, however. Lloyd soon married and was later divorced, all of which mystified Chester greatly. But when Lloyd married again his bewilderment was complete. "Dad," he implored, "what relationship is Lloyd to us now?"

Splendid Tapestry Borders.

The finest of all borders existing on extant tapestries are those by a pupil of van Orley's called Joss van Liere and belonging to a tapestry here exhibited called "Romulus Proclaimed King." It is of gold, silk and wool, the third of a series of six representing the foundation of Rome, woven probably from van Orley's designs, although the drawings by him in Munich intended for the same object do not agree with this tapestry. The extraordinary beauty of the landscape in the top left-hand corner and the strewn flowers in the foreground make this work a joy to see.

Find Pleasure In Contest.

Life attains best results when its serious tasks are tackled in the spirit of the game. We do the hardest things with enthusiasm when we do them in play. The curse of Eden added no new burden to men. It was the compulsion of it that became irksome. It's not always our hardest tasks that cause us the most effort. Those things are hardest which have no sense of the game in them. Such tasks we attempt without enthusiasm and nigger at them until we grow weary and have nothing to show for the effort. How different with the thing we can turn into a contest. The very nature of the event robs it of its burden.

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No. 33 Daily		6:55 A. M.
No. 15 Daily		2:15 P. M.
No. 29 Daily	Does Not Run West of Portsmouth	8:45 P. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 23 Daily		4:10 A. M.
No. 25 Daily	except Sunday	7:05 A. M.
No. 37 Daily		2:10 P. M.
No. 35 Daily		3:20 P. M.

EAST BOUND

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7	Daily	2:13 P. M.	2:47 P. M.
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	EASTBOUND		
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2	Daily	2:05 P. M.	2:25 P. M.
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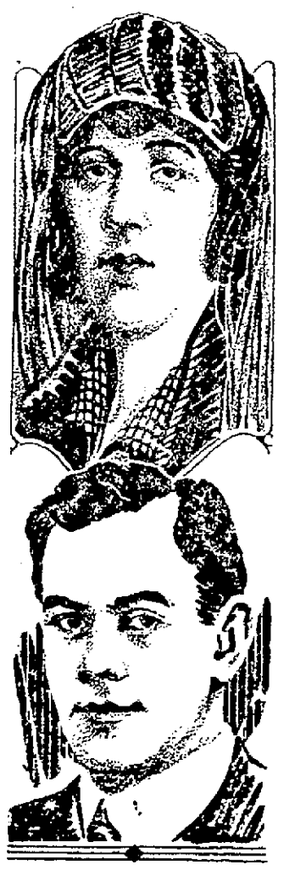

May Rollins and Robert Barbour.

Robert Barbour, millionaire thread manufacturer of Paterson, N. J., returned to New York recently after a two months' business trip to England, to contest two suits aggregating $500,000. These suits were brought against him by May Rollins, an artist's model of Brooklyn. One of the suits, for $250,000, is for alleged breach of promise. The other, for the same amount, is for injuries she says she received when he beat her in his apartments. Barbour declares the model's statements are false.

The Thrifty Housewife

who watches the odds and ends and makes the pennies yield a big return just dotes on Golden Crust. It is more nutritious than meat and costs a third as much.

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Alliteration's Awful Antics.

Adam, an ancient antediluvian, ate an apple. Adam's angry Author aroused angrily at Adam's audacity; and, as all admit, Allah's affront admits approval. Adam admitted all, and as admonished, accepted Allah's alternative. "Abscond, Adam!" added Allah. "Amble away and act as awakened acolyte. Adieu, absent-minded Adam, and abhor absinthe always." Adam ambled away, and at all accounts admitted accountability. "All acts are awry," asserted Adam, and alas, after all, Adam and apples are always aptly and abjectly associated. Ain't apple acquisition awful? (Anyhow, as Adam acquired apples.)—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Fossilized Blood.

Blood is an extremely perishable substance, yet traces have been left and have been recognized after lapses of several thousand years. Traces of blood six thousand years old have been found in mummies, and bloodstains have been discovered upon bandages used in the surgery of ancient Egypt. In Siberia remains of it were recognized in frozen mammoths, whose flesh was fresh enough to be eaten by dogs after about 175,000 years of icy entombment. R. L. Moodie of the University of Illinois has found in the bone of a dinosaur some bodies which looked remarkably like blood, but his investigations have now satisfied him that they were really blood.

Jewsharp's Origin Hard to Trace.

The jewsharp is not a harp, and it has no connection with the Jews. The reason for the name is not known. Some authorities believe that it was originally called a jaw'sharp because it was played with the jaw. Others say it was first called the Jew's Trumpe, the name coming from the French word "jeu"—a "jeu-trompe" or joy trumpet. Other peoples called it a mouth-drum or a humming-iron while the Italians designated it as the "scaccia pensiere," banisher of thought. The actual origin of the instrument, which is a universal sound-producer, is not known. It is known to be of very ancient origin, for the Chinese books of the twelfth century show the jewsharp as almost identical with the European form.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Building Commission of Scioto County, Ohio, until 12:00 o'clock, Noon, Monday, January 10th, 1921, at the office of the County Auditor, City of Portsmouth, Ohio, for the performing of the labor and furnishing the necessary materials for the following items of construction in connection with the Scioto County Children's Home, near the village of Wheelersburg, Ohio:

(1) Tile line for sewage disposal including manholes and retaining walls at outlet.
(2) Screens for the entire building.
(3) Weather strips for the entire building.
(4) Caulking around windows.
(5) Lighting fixtures.

In accordance with plans, specifications, descriptions and bills of material now on file at the office of the County Auditor. Said plans, specifications, descriptions and bills of material may be seen at said Auditor's Office at any time during the regular office hours from the date of this notice up to the time of receiving proposals as fixed herein.

A contract or contracts based upon said sealed proposals will be made with the person or persons who offer to perform the labor and furnish the material at the lowest price and give good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of their contract in accordance with the plans, specifications and descriptions herein referred to, which plans, specifications and descriptions are to be made a part of all contracts.

All proposals shall be according to laws of Ohio, Revised Statutes, which require that each item of work, labor and material must be bid upon separately.

All proposals shall contain the name of every person interested in the same.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a written guarantee of a Surety Company of approved standing, or at least two responsible disinterested freeholders of Scioto County, Ohio, as sureties, certified by the County Auditor, or a certified check on some solvent bank, in an amount equal to ten per cent of the amount of the proposal submitted, that if the proposal be accepted, a contract will be entered into, and faithful performance of the same secured to the entire satisfaction the said Building Commission.

All proposals shall be sealed and endorsed, "Proposal for construction Scioto County Children's Home," and addressed to Roy H. Coburn, County Auditor, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The Building Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all proposals submitted.

By order of the Building Commission of Scioto County, Ohio.

ROY H. COBURN,
County Auditor and Sec'y. of Commission
Dec. 13-4mon.

NOTICE

Carl Herrick will take notice that Rachel Herrick has filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for a divorce from said Carl Herrick upon the ground of adultery and that said cause will be for hearing on and after January 25th, 1921.

W. R. SPRAGUE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
12-30-6 Mons.

NOTICE

Benedine Campbell will take notice that Enos W. Campbell has filed his petition for divorce in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause Number 18501, praying for divorce from defendant on the ground of wilfull absence and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 25th day of January, 1921.

W. R. SPRAGUE,
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GOOD HEALTH NO MYSTERY

EXCEPT in the cases of persons who are affected by organic ailments, the business of keeping in a reasonably good condition of health is not one that should puzzle persons of average intelligence. Plenty of exercise and fresh air, nourishing food in moderate quantities and protection of the body against the weather, constitute about all the precautions the individual need take.

Physicians practically agree that most of the so-called colds and infections that develop into influenza and pneumonia, are caused by neglect of the things that keep the human machine functioning in a normal way. Over-heated, poorly-ventilated homes are the chief cause of the colds that so frequently develop serious conditions.

Most persons dress too warmly for indoors and then neglect to protect themselves sufficiently when they go out into the weather. The result in numerous cases is congestion that lowers the vitality of the body and makes it easy prey of the germs that infect the atmosphere under certain conditions.

The greatest danger in the winter season probably lies in the tendency of so many persons to keep their rooms heated to a temperature above that commonly accepted as the most healthful—68 to 70 degrees—with frequent changes of air during the day in order that all foul air may be driven from the living quarters.

Many persons fear to go outdoors because they may catch cold, but the greatest danger is in depriving themselves of the fresh air that is necessary if the lungs are to carry on their function to supply the blood with oxygen and in return carrying from the blood the effluvia that is poisonous to the system.

Too much coddling of the body indoors, over-eating or indulgence in food not adapted to the needs of the body, with failure to protect the body when going outdoors, probably lie at the seat of most of the ailments that have their origin in the respiratory organs or digestive tract—and the combination is often most serious in its effects.

Good health is not purchasable, nor is it easily regained when once lost. There is only one way in which to secure it, and that is by right living.

SEEKING CLASS ADVANTAGES

IT is extremely unfortunate for the interests of all the people that economic conditions have brought about what may develop into a class welfare — a test of strength between the producers and the public which consumes them.

The president of the Farmers' National Congress, which met in Columbus, O., a few days ago, made the charge that there was a conspiracy of grain manipulators and certain financial interests to injure the farmers by forcing the prices of their products below the cost of raising them. The head of the congress maintained that farmers had the right to withold their products from the markets until such a time as they would receive fair prices for them. The right to do this at the expense of consumers is very doubtful.

It is admitted that the farmer can sell wheat considerably below $3 a bushel, and the farmers express a willingness to have prices regulated by the law of suppy and demand, but they do object to being made the victims of grain gamblers, whose operations are injurious to producers and consumers alike. Intelligent farmers must know that they cannot hope to win in an attempt to maintain the price of wheat at $3, or any other price that is not justified by the laws of economics. That they should have relief from the machinations of speculators is admitted and they should insist that congress provide this relief.

The greatest prosperity in the United States will be realized when all classes—producers and consumers of all sorts of products—are willing to exchange money for goods on a basis that is fair to all. The business man expects his profit-earning months to offset the ones that are not so good, and a little more, if he would succeed. The farmer must be willing to do the same, and not expect to become the beneficiary of a system of price maintenance that is unsound and will eventually work harm to the ones who attempt to enforce it.

So far Borah and Johnson haven't been included in "the master minds" that have been summoned to Marion and it looks as though they will not be. Still, it is to be feared, that is not going to restrain either from speaking his mind.

POULTRY SHOW

By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29—The desire to raise chickens, like the desire to write poetry, appears at some time in the life of almost every human. No doubt one reason is that it looks like an easy way to make money starting on a small capital. And probably another reason is that nearly every one of us has a few poultry-raising ancestors hanging on his family tree somewhere, from whom he has inherited at least a slight tendency toward chicken fancying.

If you want to remain immune to this chicken-fancying fever, which you have had and gotten over, do not go to a big poultry show. If you do, the chances are that before you have been there long you will be silently computing the amount of space in your back yard, and before you have left you will have contracted for a setting of Rhode Island Red, or Black Minorca or Blue Andalusian eggs at two dollars apiece and guaranteed fertile. You will have been convinced by Government posters that it is your duty to increase the nation's food supply by raising poultry in your back yard, and that a white Leghorn cockerel is the most beautiful bird which does not fly. You will have been overburdened with poultry journals, advice and samples of mysterious foods guaranteed to stimulate the philoprogenitive instinct of the most reluctant and puritanical hen.

For a poultry show is areally impressive spectacle. Here is half an acre or so of coops full of birds of the most perfect form and feather. They range in size from a bantam no bigger than a quail to a buff Orpington almost as heavy as a turkey. They run an astonishing gamut of colors—black, white, red, blue, buff and gray. There are chickens barred, speckled, spangled and striped. There are chickens with double combs and chickens with single combs, chickens with crests like drum-majors and chickens with no crests at all, chickens with feathered legs and chickens with bare legs.

All From One Ancestor

And you must reflect that all of this bizarre aggregation of feathered wonders was evolved from a single type of bird—the jungle cock of India. That is all nature gave man to start with. The rest of this variety of form, size and color is his handiwork. No other creature on earth has been so variously variegated, except possibly the dog, and there were very likely several different forms of dog to cross in the beginning.

Here in a corner of the poultry show is a bird of almost incredible color scheme. Some of his feathers are red and some of them are white and some of them are a grayish blue, and these colors are scattered over him as though he had run rapidly through a shower of assorted paints. He arrests the eye. You pause before his enclosure.

"What a strange-looking bird!" you involuntarily exclaim.

"What d'y'mean, strange?" demands a gray-haired man who stands near the coop. You divine that he is the owner of the strange bird.

"Strangely beautiful," you explain hastily. "But how did he happen. Was he an accident?"

"Accident nothing! This here is the American patriot breed—the newest thing in domestic poultry, exhibited for the first time—took me 16 years to produce 'em."

And then you realize that you are looking upon no mere freak of nature, but upon a dream come true. You realize that this man conceived the idea of a bird which should epitomize in his color-scheme 100 per cent Americanism, the Fourth of July, Old Glory and the Spirit of Seventy-Six. What you are looking upon is the work of an artist in selective breeding—a red, white and blue rooster!

The Patriot Breed

It is true that there are several reds on him and all of them are a little rusty, and that the blue is decidedly grayish; but still he has a recocognizable resemblance to a piece of bunting in poultry form. He represents a design conceived in the mind of man and carried out in the strange and refractory materials of animal heredity. Seven different breeds and sixteen generations of breeding went into his making. He is already guaranteed to breed 50 per cent true, and that means that at least 50 per cent of the feathers in any bird hatched from an authentic patriot egg, will show all three of the colors.

This bird, and all the rest of these aristocratic fowls represent a real and difficult triumph over the forces of nature. For nature is against this tampering with her forms; and she misses no opportunity to restore the original model. Turn all these prize-winning birds loose in a barnyard together and let them breed promiscuously for afew generations and they will revert to the primitive jungle type, not only in form, but in color. The scrub chickens that you see in some barnyards where no good blood has been introduced for generations, are hardly distinguishable from the ancestral jungle bird. They even recover the power of flight to a considerable degree and the tendency to roost in trees. Incidentally their value both as table birds and as egg producers suffers sadly.

For this reason the Department of Agriculture conducts at all of these poultry shows a steady propaganda for the raising of good chickens. It realizes that many country and suburban folks who keep a few chickens in the yard have neither the time nor the inclination to go in for raising blooded stock. But it points out that a blooded rooster introduced into a flock oncea year will do wonders for it. He counteracts nature's tendency to revert to the primitive form. He brings up the egg-laying and the weight. He more than pays for himself.

It is perhaps to be regretted that few except chicken fanciers go to poultry shows. If the general public could be in some way inveigled there—by a brass band or a free dance, or anything else—the result would probably be to increase the nation's supply of poultry by many hundred per cent. For every man is potentially a husbandryman—a raiser of some kind of live stock. Often this impulse in him gets more expression than the somewhat futile one of keeping a dog or a cat. And if he lives in an apartment, or in a city where poultry-keeping is absolutely prohibited, that is about all he can do. But in many American cities poultry may now be kept, and every suburban dweller has the possibility of thus increasing his food supply and of giving himself a new interest in life.

To Change Plumage of Canary.

One of the wonders that may be wrought with the canary in captivity is the regulation of the color of his plumage by feeding. That the color of canaries may be deepened or intensified by certain color foods during the "molt" is well known and sometime ago the Department of Agriculture at Washington issued a pamphlet on this subject. Tumeric, marigold flowers, saffron, cochineal, annatto, port wine, mustard seed and other agents rich in color are often used for this purpose, but Mr. Wetmore says that these probably exert very little influence. He says that so far as known all successful color foods for canaries have red pepper as the base.

Questions AND Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. To what extent have the devastated farm lands of France been restored to agricultural purposes? C. F. S.

A. The French Commissioner says that of the 7,000,000 acres which were rendered unfit for cultivation by the war, only 250,000 will not be in a condition to permit of sowing next spring.

Q. Is the expression "a certain party" correct when it is applied to an individual? N. E. M.

A. The expression "a certain party" as applied to an individual is not sanctioned by good English. This use of the word "party" in referring to an individual is restricted to legal terminology.

Q. Do they have anti-strike laws in Australia? D. O. R.

A. The Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act of Australia recognizes the right of workers to strike, but limits the exercise of the right and provides penalties for illegal strikes.

Q. How does an automatic compare with a revolver and pistol in regard to velocity? G. I. T.

A. The War Department says that an automatic and a revolver of the same calibre have practically the same velocity. A pistol has a little more power because there is no escape of gas in shooting.

Q. What does a bale of cotton weigh? H. K.

A. The approximate weight of a bale of cotton in the United States is 480 pounds.

Q. Would it be possible to administer any or all of the tests for immigrants to the United States at the Consulate Office or the port of embarkation. Could inspectors carry on this work without the enactment of further immigration laws? J. E. W.

A. The Commissioner of Immigration says that the present laws would not permit Consular Officers of the United States to administer tests at the port of embarkation, to immigrants coming to the United States. These officers when visiting passports can tell the immigrants that they probably will not be admitted if they consider the immigrants are undesirable, but it is not possible for them to give the tests. This would require the enactment of another law.

Q. Is the male ostrich larger than the female? N. W. L.

A. The male ostrich is somewhat larger than the female and weighs upward of 200 pounds.

Q. Where is the original copy of the Declaration of Independence? F. W.

A. The original copy of the Declaration of Independence is kept in the archives of the State Department. During the summer of 1919 this document was on exhibition to the public for several weeks at Washington, D. C.

Q. Will charring wood that is to be used for posts prevent decay? H. V. W.

A. Experiments conducted by the United States Forest Products Laboratory indicate that charred posts are less durable than untreated ones.

Q. How many Congressional Medals were awarded during and since the World War? R. V. L.

A. Up to November 1, 1920, there had been 78 Congressional Medals issued by the War Department.

Q. How can I write on paper and have the writing disappear and reappear? K. U. Y.

A. If you write on rose colored paper with a solution of chloride of cobolt, the invisible writing will become blue through heat and will disappear on cooling.

WHO'S WHO In The Days News

SENATOR JOSEPH I. FRANCE

Senator Joseph I. France of Maryland stepped into prominence in the discussion of the deportation of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian Soviet ambassador, by objecting to the government's action on the ground that the U. S. will suffer a huge loss in foreign trade if the ambassador is forced to leave. Martens' superiors ordered him to cancel millions of dollars worth of orders for all kinds of supplies, machinery, etc., for which Russia had contracted in this country, should the deportation order stand. Senator France went to the national Republican convention last summer as Maryland's favorite son. He went also as the friend of light wines and beer. A declaration for reconsideration of the prohibition amendment was one of the planks in his platform.

SEN. FRANCE

In the senate, the senator from Maryland has been one of the irreconcilable opponents of the peace treaty.

Joseph Irwin France was born October 11, 1872. He was educated in Hamilton college, Clinton, N. Y.; University of Leipzig, Germany; Clark University, Worcester, Mass., and College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore.

He served in the Maryland state senate, 1906-08; was a delegate to the Republican national convention of 1908; elected to United States senate in 1916.

DOC KOKO'S KOLUMN

The Helping Help

Mistress—Now, Ada, I want you to show us what you can do tonight. We have a few very special friends coming for a musical evening.

Cook—Well, mum, I a'ven't done any singing to speak of for years, but as you insist upon it, you can put me down for "The Oly City."—London Passing Show.

The Martin

Al Moon is at home from th' school of experience an' has decided t' stay on th' farm. Elmer Swank, who voted for a change, wuz let out at th' saw mill t'day.

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New-York-Day-By-Day

BY. O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 3—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up, my poor head aching and churlish. With L. Marsh in his benzine buggy to the ferry, passing by the moneychangers in Wall Street and a great lunch. Walked about the battery in the crisp air, never before this observing the beauty of the Liberty Statue. Gave a beggar a tenpence.

Come word from F. Simms, the journalist, that he is going to China and Japan, a voyage I desire mightily to make. Stopped in Newspaper Row to see H. Swope, who was away, and coming upon H. Roth, the limner, we went to a club and played pool and a fellow there so merry with drink that he was disturbing and was put out.

Home on the elevated and fell in a doze not awakening until the train reached Columbia University and so I got out and wandered about, seeing the students and the great buildings and the street filled with eating places and I sat in one and ate baked apples with cream and a pudding of tapioca and the younger people looked askance at one so old among them. And I felt depressed.

In the evening read aloud from Wells' History to my wife, poor wretch, and by and by Mr. Simpson, the barrister, and Mistress Louise came and much talk of learned topics including the Dred Scott decision, which I feigned knowing all about, but which in truth I am totally ignorant. And so to bed.

Fred C. Kelly, the magazine writer, has a friend who pays $36 for shirts and who chides Kelly because he has not purchased a new suit of clothes since the wave of profiteering began. The friend had been away for several months and upon his return to town called Kelly on the telephone.

When Kelly came to the phone and learned it was his rather sporty and boastful friend, he greeted him and then asked him to wait just a moment while he spoke to his butler. This is the conversation that was heard over the phone: "What is it Jeeves? Speak up. Don't stand there mumbling. Certainly I want the Egyptian Squab for the second course. And in the morning I want you to trim those side whiskers and shine the buckles on your garters."

Then Kelly resumed his talk with his friend—who was so overawed that he didn't say a word, about the half dozen new suits he had just purchased at $185 each. Needless to say Kelly hasn't a butler.

Rudolph Block, who is best known by his pen name Bruno Lessing, holds down the job of idea expert for cartoonists and comic strip men employed by a syndicate of newspapers. But when it comes to ideas for Xmas gifts he is totally at sea. He has a friend living on a ranch in the far West to whom he wished to send a present and so he went shopping. Among the things suggested and shown to him were a painted tin tea ball, a wrist watch case to be hung from the side of the bed, an eyeglass polisher stamped on leather and a sachet to be worn in the hat crown. He wound up by buying a brass cuspidor.

There is one business that trade depression enlivens. E. F. Bitner, head of a great musical publishing house, is responsible for the statement that the times of temporary depression on people turn to the popular airs with more interest than ever. They seek to forget their worries with song and the sale of popular music takes a big spurt.

Your New Year Gift

A wonderful gift has the New Year for you—
A calendar, shining, unblemished and new.
A sheaf of fair days, bound in gladness—and then
A chance to begin things all over again:
Four lovely new seasons—spring, summer, and fall,
And sparkling, gay winter completing it all.
Your mind and your heart and yourself through and through—
May take opportunity, smiling anew.
And start being kind, where you failed yesteryear—
Unselfish and loving—cast gloom out for cheer.
Rejoice at this wonderful gift at your door.
And make this year gladder than any before.—(Selected.

Why She Wouldn't Go

Little Anna was visiting in the city for the first time. She had noticed the beautiful swanboats as they passed through the park in the morning, and her aunt had promised that they would come back and have a ride.

Early in the afternoon, says Lippincott's, they returned and stood on the bridge over the lagoon, watching the boats below and listening to the man who was urging the people to take a ride. Little Anna held tight to her aunt's hand as they went toward the boat-landing.

"I don't want to go!" she sobbed. "I don't want to go!"

Her aunt couldn't understand what the trouble was, till she noticed what the boatman said. This is what it was:

"Only five cents for ladies and gents—children thrown in!"

Helping the Teacher

Child: "Father, what is a vacuum?"

Parent: "Vacuum? Why, ain't you never learned that at school? It's where the Pope lives."—Exchange.

Correct

Teacher. "Don't you know that punctuation means that you must pause?"

Willie: "'Course I do. An' auto-driver punctuated his tire in front of our house Sunday, and he paused for half an hour."—(Boston Transcript.)

Helping The Cousin

He—"Your cousin refused to recognize me last night; thinks I'm not his equal I suppose."

She—"Ridiculous! Of course you are, why, he's nothing but a conceited idiot."—Blighty London.

Yes and No

"Is a chicken big enough to eat when it is three weeks old?"

"Why, of course not!"

"Well, how does it live, then?"—(Boys' Life.)

The New Year

"We plan—and plan: 'This shall be so and so';
'This shall I do,' and 'Ither shall I go.'
Yet, as the hours shape themselves to days,
We tread not in those self-chosen ways:
Our feet are led 'long paths we had not guessed.
And lo! we find those newer paths are best!"

Knew What He Was Talking About

Northerner—"What's that white, fluffy stuff you are picking?"

"That, sah, will be wool when yo' wear it next winter in the No'th."—Life.

Could Not Miss It

The average foreigner's difficulty in comprehending the huge area of the United States is well illustrated by a story in Everybody's Magazine about an Englishman and his valet who had been traveling due west from Boston for five days. The traveler found his servant gazing thoughtfully out of the window. He said to him:

"William, what are you thinking of?

"I was just thinking, sir, about the discovery of Hamerica," replied the valet. "Columbus didn't do such a wonderful thing hafter hall, when he found this country, did he, now, sir? Hafter hall's said and done, 'ow could 'e 'elp it?"

Facing The New Year

Fear, facing the New Year,
Thinketh, "What shall it bring?"
And is dumb,
Dreading the hidden ways.

Faith, looking upward, saith,
"Good is in everything—
Let us come;
God ordereth the days."

This is my New Year's bliss—
He is mine and I am His,
All the days,
All the ways
Lead us home,
Let us pray, Let us praise.
—Mark Guy Pearse.

Interesting Experiences

"What are you reading there?"

"A book entitled, 'Recollections of a Dry Town.'"

"Rather dull I suspect?"

"Not as dull as you might think. The subtitle is, 'Some Bootleggers I Have Met.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Is Aunt Maggie Jealous? Oh, No, Indeed

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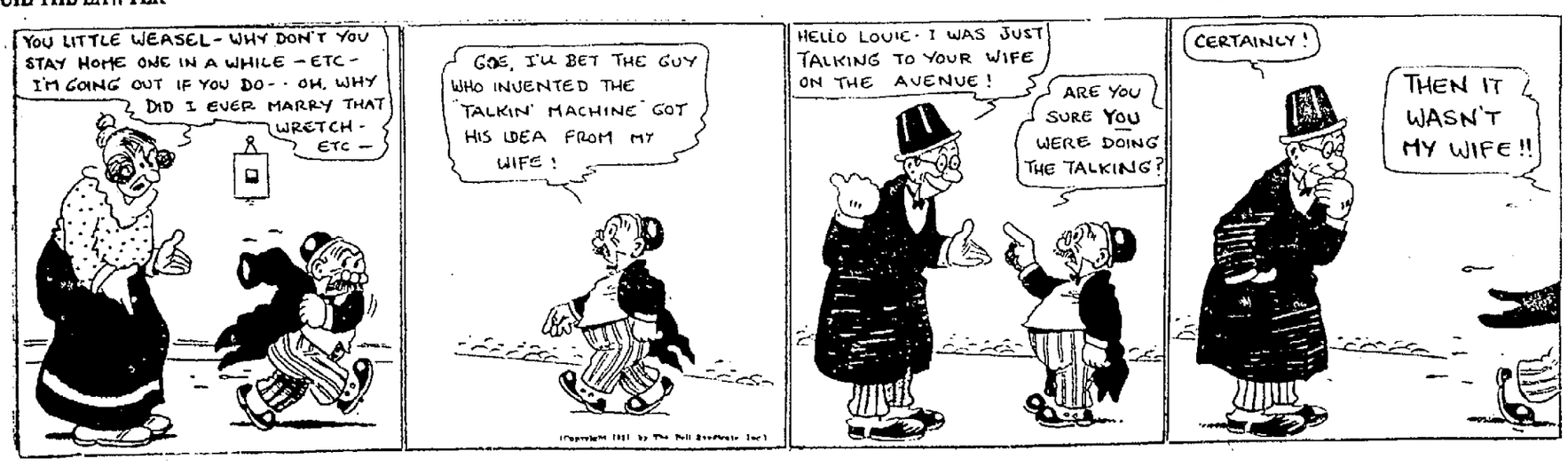
He Doesn't Need To Examine Her Fingerprints To Be Sure Of That



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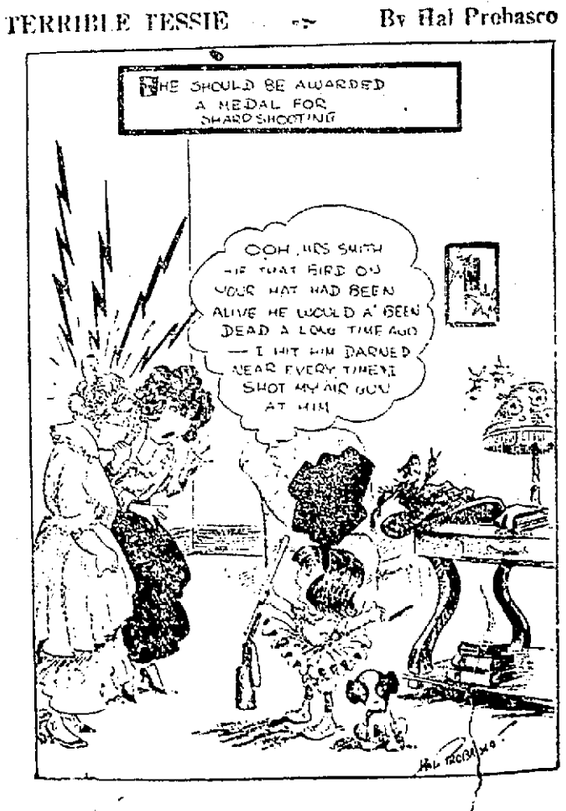
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